

DEVELOPMENTS POINT TO IMMINENT GERMAN ATTACK ON NEUTRAL TURKEY

GREEK ARMY STILL INTACT AND PLANS STRIKE RIGHT TIME

WILL THROW INVADERS BACK IN MOUNTAINS MILITARY SOURCES DECLARE

ATHENS, Greece, April 10.—(P)—The Greek army remains intact "to deal a decisive blow at the German invaders with allied support," Greek military sources declared today, despite the entrapment of some forces in eastern Greece.

The fate of the forces cut off by the swift Nazi drive to Salonika still was obscure, but they were reported holding out late last night.

The main Greek army will strike at the right time and the right place," the military informants reiterated confidently.

"The battle for Greek independence, first won on Mount Pindus—where the Italian attack from Albania was thrown back last October—will be repeated again on Greek mountains where in past centuries invaders have been stopped."

German troop-carrying motor vehicles were "systematically machine-gunned" by British bombers and fighters in the Kilikias and Polycastros areas, north of Salonika, an RAF communiqué said, although bad weather conditions interfered with air operations. German casualties were described as heavy.

Bridges in the Axioupolis zone came in for particular attention, it was said.

The withdrawal from Salonika backdoor to the Balkans, and the destruction of oil tanks and everything else of military value were accomplished before the Nazis reached the city, the Greeks asserted.

"This, they said, was made possible by heroic Greek resistance which delayed the Germans in the region of Kilikias, in the Vardar valley."

The German breakthrough in the Struma valley and the retreat of Yugoslavs leaving the Greek left flank exposed made the fall of Salonika inevitable, they said.

(P) German high command said Greek troops fighting east of

Britain Admits Capture Officers In North Africa

LONDON, April 10.—(P)—The British war office said today it was "without news of three senior officers" in Africa and acknowledged that German claims to capture of 2,000 British prisoners in "Libya" would not be impossible under the conditions in which the encounters have been taking place.

The statement said the three are Lieut. Gen. Sir Richard Nugent O'Connor, K. C. B., one of the best fighting British army; Lieut. Gen. Philip Neame, V. C., and Major General M. D. Gamber-Parry.

Sir Richard was one of the right hand men of Gen. Sir Archibald Wavell, commander in chief of the British forces in the Middle East.

In a radio broadcast Feb. 9 Prime Minister Winston Churchill singled out O'Connor and Lieut. Gen. Sir Henry Maitland Wilson as the two men responsible for carrying out Wavell's offensive which drove the Italian forces of Marshal Rodolfo Graziani out of Egypt and eastern Libya.

"The Germans, in a communiqué today, said six generals, two colonels and 2,000 men had been captured at El Mechili, fifty miles southwest of Derna, in the desert."

The British have concentrated east of Benghazi in "an area more adapted to future operations," today's Middle East communiqué said, adding that in period of several days "we have inflicted considerable casualties on the enemy."

GERMAN MILITARY SPOKESMAN CLAIMS MANY GREEKS TAKEN

AERIAL "SOFTENING" OF BRITISH TROOPS IN GREECE FIRST PLANNED

BERLIN, April 10.—(P)—A German military spokesman said today Greek prisoners captured in Thrace numbered more than 80,000 but that the "final number will be much greater" since the count is not yet finished.

The Germans declared themselves ready for preliminary aerial thrusts against the British on the Balkan front.

Apparently Reichsmarshal Hermann Wilhelm Goering's air force has the task of "softening" the British before German ground troops tackle them at close quarters.

Dienst Aus Deutschland, commentary close to the foreign office, declared "it is self-evident that the air force on the east coast of Greece will be one of the principal objectives of the German bombers."

This line runs from Piraeus, port of Athens, to the northern area where the British-Greek troops are concentrated, and in the German view a few well-placed bombs would paralyze this line.

The Yugoslavias of King Peter II and the government of Premier General Dusan Simovic is doomed, Berlin observers said.

Terrific destruction.

Today's high command communiqué, devoted chiefly to a review of Balkan successes previously reported, presented a picture of terrific destruction inflicted by the Luftwaffe on Yugoslav communications and air bases.

In these high command acknowledged that nineteen Nazi planes were lost and reported that twenty-nine British and seven Yugoslav were destroyed and a number of others damaged.

Severe allied losses were declared destroyed and five damaged in a series of lightning raids on Bosnian airports. Other Luftwaffe units, the high command said, heavily blasted Yugoslav supply trains and rail lines between the Sava and Brava Rivers.

The communiqué said 100 pieces of artillery, several hundred machine guns and large quantities of motor fuel, ammunition and other equipment fell into Nazi hands.

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O'DANIEL REQUESTED TO RESIGN AND TAKE U. S. SENATORSHIP

HOUSE RESOLUTION ALSO REQUESTED HIM TO BE CANDIDATE SUCCEED SHEPPARD

AUSTIN, April 10.—(P)—The Texas house of representatives today adopted a resolution requesting Governor W. Lee O'Daniel to resign and accept appointment as United States senator in succession to Morris Sheppard, who died yesterday.

The resolution, which declared the governor should make his services available to Texas and America in a national capacity "in this hour of national peril," also requested him to announce as a candidate for the senatorial election term ending in January, 1943.

It was adopted by a rising vote, which Rep. Dallas Blankenship of Dallas, who was presiding, first announced as "unanimous." On an objection, Blankenship ordered that the "Journal show merely 'adoption'."

A few "yippies" and some hand-clapping punctuated the reading of the resolution, of which Rep. Mark Halsey of Lubbock was the author.

Instantaneous service.

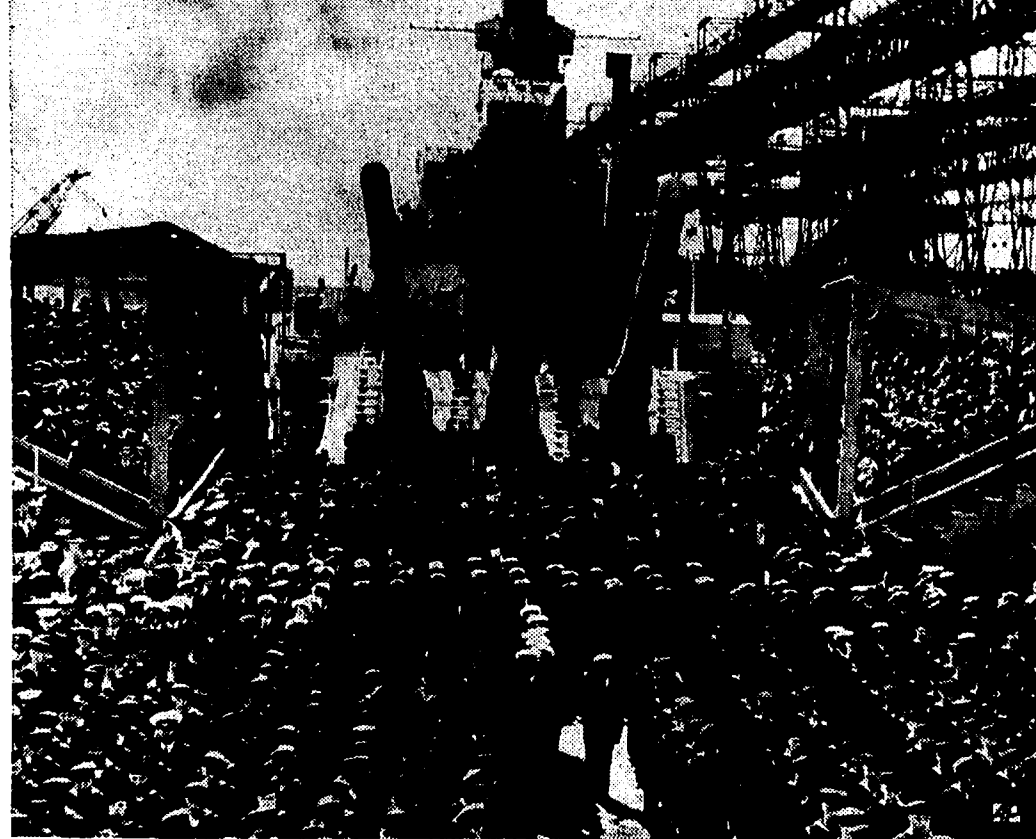
The resolution said the governor could perform an "inestimable service" by obtaining national enactment "of his far-reaching program of strikes and labor violence in defense industries" and adoption of President Roosevelt's announced program for full federal payment of social security obligations.

"In these perilous times, Texas, as the nation's greatest democratic state desperately needs as its junior senator in the United States Senate a seasoned and fearless statesman, who can command national respect and attention," it said.

Governor O'Daniel is the best beloved and most popular governor this state has known since the immortal James Stephen Hogg, and

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FIRST U. S. BATTLESHIP IN 18 YEARS COMMISSIONED



This is a general scene on the quarter deck of the new \$70,000,000 battleship North Carolina as it was commissioned at Brooklyn navy yard. It was the first capital ship commissioned by the navy in 18 years.

PART POPULATION OF ISTANBUL BEING REMOVED INTERIOR

INDICATIONS ARE BOTH YUGOSLAVS AND GREEKS RALLYING FROM ATTACKS

By the Associated Press.

Fears of an imminent German attack on Turkey, neutral ally of Great Britain, were seen today in a Turkish government announcement that it had been "found advisable" to remove the population of Istanbul.

The announcement followed only a few hours after the Rome radio broadcast a report that Germany's ace diplomat, Franz von Papen, ambassador to Turkey, had reiterated "the assurance that Germany has no intention of attacking Turkey."

Istanbul lies on the European side of the strategic Bosphorus, link between the Dardanelles and the Black Sea. It is less than 100 miles from German-occupied Bulgaria.

Nazi blitzkrieg forces have already slashed down through Thracian Greece alongside the Turkish frontier.

Greece's own struggle against the Germans took on a slightly brighter aspect as military quarters in Athens declared that her army remained intact "to deal a decisive blow at the German invader with allied support."

Claim Many Greeks Taken.

A German military spokesman in Berlin asserted that more than 80,000 Greeks had been captured in the sweep through Thrace and that the final number will be much greater.

The British radio said Balkan war news was reaching London in little more than a trickle, but that it seemed clear the Germans were still making headway.

There were indications that both the Greeks and the Yugoslavs were rallying from the first violent shock of the Nazi blitzkrieg.

The Yugoslav legation in London said Yugoslav armies were now making a "supreme effort" to hurl back the German tide—presumably the sector around captured Skopje.

A German radio broadcast telling of Nazi dive-bombing and machine gunning.

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BERLIN BOMBED BY ROYAL AIR FORCE IN HEAVY NIGHT RAID

NORWAY AND DENMARK OBJECTIVES ALSO ATTACKED IN LAST NIGHT'S FORAYS

LONDON, April 10.—(P)—British air raiders dropped "powerful high explosive bombs" in the center of Berlin last night and started large fires, the air ministry announced today.

Overnight attacks also were made on an aluminum plant in German-occupied Norway and a radio station in Denmark, the British declared.

They acknowledged the loss of eight planes in these operations and in daylight assaults yesterday on Brest and other targets, but declared that eleven German bombers were downed in heavy attacks last night on the English Midlands and northeast.

It was the first British raid on Berlin since March 23. An informed source said that while the attack was not comparable in size with Monday's night assault on Kiel, "it would have been felt."

Smaller forces of British night raiders were said to have struck at Emden and Vegesack, near Hannover.

The main German nocturnal attack was directed at a west midland town (presumably Coventry again or Birmingham) and the northeastern coastal area.

A shelter in which a large number of persons was believed to have been killed.

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PRESIDENT ASKING AUTHORITY TO TAKE OVER FOREIGN SHIPS

CONGRESS ASKED GRANT BROAD POWERS OVER IDLE VESSELS IN U. S. PORTS

WASHINGTON, April 10.—(P)—President Roosevelt asked congress today for broad statutory authority to take over any "foreign-owned vessels lying idle in our ports."

This authority, he said in a message to the legislators, should be subject to the payment of just compensation.

Although the Chief Executive had asserted Tuesday that he would recommend legislation to permit the purchase or charter of 39 Danish vessels which have been taken into "protective custody" by the coast guard, the language of his message today was not limited to the Danish ships.

The President asked a provision of the merchant marine act of 1936 which authorizes him to requisition or purchase any American-owned vessels in time of national emergency or when the national defense makes it advisable. The section provides for a method of compensation.

"There does not appear," Mr. Roosevelt asserted, "to be any

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SABOTAGE EXPECTED SHOULD HOSTILITIES DEVELOP IN AMERICA

VULNERABLE PORTIONS OF NATION'S POWER LINES BE OPEN TO ATTACK

CHICAGO, April 10.—(P)—Maj. Charles L. Lelhy of Chicago declared today that "should hostilities develop" sabotage could be expected in vulnerable portions of the nation's electric power system and would be "more dreaded than bombing."

The field artillery officer and the editor of "Electric Light and Power," suggested in a paper prepared for the Midwest Power conference that the power industry consider such sabotage sabotaging measures as these:

Development of radio systems for the quick dispatching of trouble and patrol crews, use of mobile equipment, standardization of equipment, circuit rearrangement to overcome strikes in power areas, and priority of restoration of service.

He said that portable sub-stations, large in capacity but small in physical size, could be mounted on trailers and towed by flat cars for quick transportation to trouble spots. Standardized equipment, particularly turbines and diesels, would facilitate rapid replacement of damaged or destroyed units, he said.

Maj. Lelhy said, however, that the industry was well prepared to

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TEXAS LEGISLATURE BY DEATH SHEPPARD

LAWMAKERS QUIETLY REWORK; SHEPPARD'S SUCCESSOR MAIN SUBJECT

AUSTIN, April 10.—(P)—The death of U. S. Senator Morris Sheppard, of the National Congress, cast a shadow over the Texas capital and the legislature today.

While the state mourned the loss of one of its most distinguished sons, members of the legislative body, adjourned yesterday in honor of the statesman's memory, returned quietly to their homes.

In the huge capitol, amid the subdued turmoil which always follows the passing of a great governmental figure, the paramount question at a legislative session was the question of Sheppard's successor in congress.

Prepared for introduction in the Texas House of Representatives was a resolution urging Governor W. Lee O'Daniel, central figure in the speculation, to fill the congressional vacancy "as a service to the state and the nation."

Within 10 days the governor, under the law, must call a special election to choose a successor who will serve until the expiration of the term which expires in 1943.

He will have 60 to 90 days, O'Daniel also must name someone to serve in the interim.

In the past, the governor has been slow to select an appointee, and on many occasions has selected

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GREENLAND PLACED IN UNITED STATES HEMISPHERE DEFENSE

AGREEMENT SIGNED PERMITTING ESTABLISHMENT AID BASES THERE

WASHINGTON, April 10.—(P)—The United States embraced Greenland within its hemisphere defense system today under an agreement permitting establishment of air bases and President Roosevelt said it was proposed to make sure the big island would remain a Danish colony.

The Chief Executive said in a formal statement that the present setup, which in effect brings Greenland under the protection of this government, "is a new proof of our continuing friendliness to Denmark."

An agreement to place the island within America's plans for co-operative defense of the Western Hemisphere was signed yesterday by the President and the Danish minister, Hendrik de Kauffmann, who, Mr. Roosevelt said, acted on behalf of the Danish King.

In handling the Presidential agreement to ratify the agreement had been consummated after the United States "had received information that the President and the Danish minister had been flying over Greenland."

Greenland, he said, has been placed in exactly the same category as any other Atlantic islands owned by the United States.

The agreement, the secretary asserted, is in complete accordance with the terms of the Monroe Doctrine and with a declaration signed by the twenty-one American republics at Havana.

In that latter declaration, the republics agreed that no foreign power should attempt to establish a base of operations in the Western Hemisphere should be transferred to the flag of another foreign country.

Referring to Mr. Roosevelt's statement that the United States intended to insure that Greenland would remain a Danish colony after the German invasion of Denmark had ended, Lelhy declared: "That refers to Greenland or any of the other possessions, including

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Plans Completed Tour Livestock Farms in County

THREE - POINT - PROPOSAL MADE FOR BRINGING EIGHT-DAY OLD STRIKE TO END

DETROIT, April 10.—(P)—The United Automobile Workers (CIO) accepted today a three-point proposal for settlement of the Ford Motor company strike which Gov. Murray D. Van Wagoner said before both sides in the controversy.

The governor, in the presence of union officials, read a letter of reply to him from R. J. Thomas, union president, which said the UAW-CIO accepted the proposal and would recommend its adoption at a meeting tonight of Ford Rouge plant workers.

The letter said in part:

"We have come to the conclusion that your proposal constitutes a constant basis for termination of the strike and would create for maintenance of stable and equitable labor relations in the plant pending holding of the national labor relations board's election."

"Our decision has been influenced also by the desire of the CIO, the UAW-CIO and the Ford workers to expedite our national defense program."

"We accordingly accept your proposal and will recommend its adoption to a meeting of Rouge workers tonight."

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MICHIGAN GOVERNOR WANTS SETTLEMENT FORD STRIKE QUICKLY

THREE - POINT - PROPOSAL MADE FOR BRINGING EIGHT-DAY OLD STRIKE TO END

DETROIT, April 10.—(P)—Gov. Murray D. Van Wagoner called on the Ford Motor Company and the United Automobile Workers (CIO) today to accept "without further delay" a three-point proposal for settling the eight-day old strike at the company's Rouge plant.

He issued a statement in which he said the interests of national defense and preservation of law and order he was submitting a "practical and fair" plan with the knowledge that it does not satisfy the desires of either the company or union.

"The plan:

"—All employees shall be returned to their jobs without discussion."

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COMPROMISE PLAN FOR SETTLING FORD STRIKE DEMANDED

QUICK ACTION BY FORD OFFICIALS AND CIO LEADERS ASKED BY GOVERNOR

(By The Associated Press.)

Officials of a CIO union agreed today to accept a compromise three-point proposal of Governor Murray D. Van Wagoner of Michigan for settlement of the strike at the Ford's huge River Rouge plant. The stoppage has caused shutdown of Ford plants throughout the nation.

The United Automobile Workers (CIO) which called the strike, will meet tonight and President R. J. Thomas said Van Wagoner's agreement was accepted and would be recommended to the union membership for adoption.

Union officials presented their reply to the governor, who said he had received no word from Ford Motor company officials regarding his demands for settlement of the eight-day-old strike "without further delay."

"Van Wagoner had said he realized his proposals did not satisfy either side but that it was 'practical and fair' and would sever interests of national defense, law and order. A major point was the holding of an early election on collective bargaining, with each side cooperating to expedite it."

President Roosevelt discussed steel production at Washington with heads of the United States Steel corporation.

Representative Starnes (D-Ala.) announced in Washington that

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TWO CORPORATIONS' BOOKS SUBPOENAED IN INVESTIGATION

EFFORT BEING MADE TO ASCERTAIN IF GERMAN INTERESTS ACTIVE HERE

WASHINGTON, April 10.—(P)—The justice department announced today that a federal grand jury at Newark, N. J., had subpoenaed the books of two corporations in an investigation of complaints that "certain German interests" were trying to restrict production of important drugs, dyes and chemical products and to control and restrict United States trade with Latin America.

Subpoenas have been issued for the books of the Schering Corporation of Bloomfield, N. J., and the Swiss Bank corporation of New York, the department said, adding that further subpoenas would be issued shortly.

In New York meanwhile, justice department officials said subpoenas had been issued for the books and records of three more companies—the Winthrop Chemical company, General Aniline and Film corporation and Sterling Products, Inc. in an investigation to determine the extent of control, if any, of American chemical industry by the German chemical trust, I. G. Farbenindustrie.

The justice action is a step in the investigation of patent control which has been underway before for more than a year and already a federal grand jury in New York has resulted in several indictments.

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Appeal Citizens Rooms in Private Homes Convention

An appeal for rooms in private homes for use of visitors to Corsicana during the convention of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce was made Thursday by Mrs. L. S. Cooper, chairman of the housing committee.

Mrs. Cooper reported almost all available hotel rooms in the city had been reserved for the three day session and many additional requests were being received daily.

Persons having available rooms are asked to call Mrs. Cooper at 471, convention headquarters on the mezzanine floor of the Navarro Hotel, and list them with her, giving location, type of accommodations and rates desired.

Many Passengers Injured in Wreck Streamline Train

VALDSOTA, Ga., April 10.—(P)—A score or more of passengers were injured when a Chicago-Miami streamline train was wrecked at Pontiac, Ga., today.

The big steam locomotive hauling the tourist special "South Wind" ripped up about a mile of Atlantic Coast Line tracks but remained upright, four passenger cars overturned in a ditch.

A fifth car left the rails but did not overturn and two others remained on the track.

First reports indicated none of the injured was dangerously hurt. About 100 passengers were aboard.

After the Balkans Will Come SUEZ CANAL SAYS GOVERNMENT CONTROLLED ITALIAN NEWSPAPER

By DeWITT MACKENZIE Associated Press Staff Writer.

The decisive engagement of the battle of the Balkans still has not been fought, and matters now stand in a likely well-hinged on the Greco-British main line of defense which is being forged across northern Greece, from the Salonic to the South Albanian port of Chimara on the Adriatic Sea.

Even this may demonstrate that the Balkan upheaval is more a phase of a far greater project which is staggering in scope. Hitler's goal after he has smashed Yugoslavia and Greece (the hopes, and not without reason) is stated by the government-controlled Italian newspaper Popolo di Roma to be the Suez Canal—an announcement presumably calculated to serve some military purpose.

That is a logical possibility, as suggested here last Saturday. It would involve the forcing the Dardanelles by the Germans

and a drive through Turkey into the Near East. This being the case, its fruition would depend on the extent of the Nazi success on the Balkan peninsula.

There is still another possibility to which Churchill called attention yesterday when he warned Russia "there are many signs that point to a Nazi attempt to secure the granaries and the oil fields of the Caucasus."

Hitler might strike such a blow in conjunction with a drive into the Near East, or he might simply safeguard himself from attack in the Balkans and concentrate on the Bolsheviks for the time being.

Should the drive against the canal through the Near East eventuate we shall, in my view, find that the present axis of offensive along the Libyan coast is hooked with it very definitely, strange though that seem. It is to this aspect of the situation

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Senate Confirmed Reuben Williams To Highway Body

AUSTIN, April 10.—(P)—The senate today confirmed the nomination of Reuben Williams as state highway commissioner.

At the same time the upper chamber rejected the nomination of Edwin Lucy of Longview as a member of the Public Safety Commission and Gov. W. L. G. Far- borough of Corpus Christi, named to the game, fish and oyster commission.

Williams recently was rejected as state life insurance commissioner by Gov. W. L. G. Farborough when named him to the highway commission post where he will succeed Harry Hines of Wichita Falls whose term has expired.

NAVARRO COMMUNITY FOUNDATION NAMED DYER NEW TRUSTEE

J. M. Dyer was named as one of the managing trustees of the Navarro Community Foundation at its quarterly meeting held Wednesday afternoon. He succeeds the late R. L. Hamilton.

The death of Hamilton was the first vacancy in the directorate of the Foundation, established several years ago by the late Frank Neal Dyer, Mr. Dyer's son, and designated 13 managing trustees.

The trustees voted to care for 42 indigent white maternity cases at the P. and S. Hospital for the year beginning in July, 1941, and ending in July 1942. An additional eight will be cared for if the county cares for a like number with funds above the regular appropriation to the hospital, officials announced.

A number of other matters were also considered, it was stated.

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chinese-gunning attacks on Yugoslav troops in the Skopje area also indicated that the Slavs were threatening the German line.
Berlin was silent concerning any specific new gains.
A German news agency dispatch reaching Budapest reported that Yugoslavia's Vice Premier Vladimir Macek, speaking over the Zagreb radio, had announced the formation of an independent Croat state.
Zagreb is the capital of Croatia, in northern Yugoslavia.
The news dispatch asserted that Macek had announced Ante Pavlic, head of the Ustachi Terrorist organization, would be the chief of the new state, and had appealed to the populace to display German flags.
If true, this would mean a defection into the axis camp of one-third of the three Yugoslav states—Serbia, Slovenia and Croatia.
Battalions of British flame-throwers, tanks and armored cars newly arrived from Africa were reported rushing north today from Piraeus, the port of Athens, for a decisive battle with Adolf Hitler's Blitzkrieg legions.
As the 5-day-old battle of the Balkans neared its showdown, unconfirmed rumors circulated in Budapest that Belgrade, the bomb-scarred capital of Yugoslavia, had been entered by Nazi troops.
Advices reaching Bern, Switzerland, one of the few remaining outlets of uncensored news in war-ridden Europe, said British transports and supply ships were bringing fresh reinforcements into the Southern Greek ports.
German press dispatches indicated the British expeditionary force—estimated at 300,000 men—was massed in the vicinity of Mount Olympus, 60 miles southwest of Salonika, near the Aegean Sea coast.
Other reports said the British were completing a new defense line stretching across the Greek Peninsula from a point south of Salonika to the Albanian port of Chimara, on the Adriatic Sea.
The Budapest newspaper, *Orsi Ujsag* (literally "8 o'clock News") said Nazi troops racing across Yugoslavia had established contact with Italian forces in Albania.
Italians Greek Surrender.
Countering an official Greek denial, Hitler's high command still insisted that Greece's "lost army" of the East—trapped by the Germans' lightning thrust down the Vardar River Valley

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to Salonika—was capitulating.
"Completely isolated Greek forces east of the Vardar are surrendering unconditionally," a Nazi communique asserted this morning.
German war correspondents said the break through the Greek Metaxas line was one of the war's hardest assignments for Nazi panzer columns.
Stuka dive-bombers attacking for six hours, as well as artillery, played an important role, they said, but the decisive break came when flame-throwers, grenadiers and infantry stormed Greek defense bunkers.
On the western front, the war in the air continued with unabated fury.
British RAF night raiders unleashed a 3-hour assault on Berlin, showering quantities of "powerful high explosive bombs" in the heart of the capital and destroying Hitler's favorite theater—the State Opera House on Unter den Linden in Berlin's downtown Broadway.
Noted Places Damaged.
Opposite the State Opera, the top floor of the Emperor William I palace was burned out; the Prussian state library was damaged by fire; and Bellevue Castle, the guest house where foreign statesmen are entertained by Hitler, was hit by bombs.
Dense smoke hung over the German capital this morning, in suburban Potsdam, the facade of the one-time residence of Wilhelm II, the German Kaiser during the 1914-18 World war, was damaged.
The Germans said they bombed Newcastle, Birmingham, Ipswich and Southampton, in England; and the British acknowledged a violent assault on a northeast English town (apparently Newcastle) in which 34 persons were killed and 80 wounded.
In the Balkans, the Greek high command denied an assertion by Hitler's high command that the trapped East wing of the Greek army had surrendered after the fall of Salonika.
"Despite the difficult position of our troops in Eastern Macedonia, their resistance was unslakened and they maintained their lines," a communique said.
War Goes On, Says Athens.
And the Athens radio announced defiantly:
"The decisive battle will be given where strategic conditions demand it. The war goes on—and will go on."
A Greek government spokesman acknowledged that the "lost army" of the East was fighting without immediate hope of help from western Greece.
To the north, Premier Mussolini's high command asserted that Italian troops were pressing deeper into Yugoslavia in a drive to join Nazi columns slicing across Yugoslavia from the East.
German mechanized forces were reported last night to have reached Tetovo, 23 miles west of captured Skopje and only 15 miles from effecting a junction with the Italians near the Yugoslav-Albanian frontier.
From distant Moscow, meanwhile, came a cryptic declaration by Red Star, organ of the Soviet army, asserting that the Russian-Yugoslav friendship pact signed just before the outbreak of the Balkan conflict was "all the more valuable under the new conditions because the Soviet Union always fulfills its international pledges."

Soviet Army, Navy
Organs in Comment
MOSCOW, April 10.—(AP)—Red Star, organ of the Red Army, said today the Soviet Russia-Yugoslav friendship pact signed just before the outbreak of the Balkan conflict is "all the more valuable under the new conditions because the Soviet Union always fulfills its international pledges."

The attraction of large forces on the southeastern front may change the position on other fronts of the Anglo-German war," the paper said, adding that the action in the Balkans necessarily drew German planes and troops away from England.
"Serious danger to Italy" also

BERLIN RAID

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men are entertained when visiting Berlin.
In Potsdam, the facade of the so-called new palace, one-time residence of Wilhelm II, was damaged as well as some valuable art objects.
Hospitals Reported Hit.
It was an ominous intimation whether any of the state library's approximately 3,000,000 volumes had been lost or damaged in the fire, which was said to have been brought quickly under control.
The State Opera building offered a sad sight, however.
While this part of the city apparently suffered from incendiaries only, official announcements said explosives struck two hospitals and apartment houses in other districts, killing and wounding a number of persons.
Fifteen British bombers were reported to have been shot down by night fighters and anti-aircraft guns on their approach and the Germans said they believed more were caught on their way back.
The Germans said Nazi warplanes have sunk nine ships totaling 49,000 tons in the last 24 hours and have damaged a destroyer and five merchantmen aggregating 28,000 tons.

FORD

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crimination, at once, including five of the night men, (The governor referred to the men whose discharge precipitated the strike.)
Because of an agreement the Ford Motor Company made with me not to reopen their plant during mediation, I am asking James P. Dewey, representing the state, to appoint a committee consisting of Mr. Dewey, representing the federal government, R. J. Thomas and Allan Kaywood, representing the UAW-CIO, and Harry Bennett and one other Ford official representing the company, to continue to meet and settle any other matters of dispute which might arise before the NLRB election.
"Both parties, likewise, agree to do all in their power to expedite the holding of the labor board election. For example, the union should agree to the cases of the other plant and the company should agree to furnish payroll records."

Evacuating Istanbul.
ISTANBUL, Turkey, April 10.—(AP)—The Turkish government announced today that it "found it advisable" to withdraw a considerable portion of Istanbul's population to evacuate the eastern section of the city and the company should agree to furnish payroll records."

was seen from the fact that the British now have airports closer to Italian industrial centers.

Takes Over Yugoslav Interests.
ROME, April 10.—(AP)—The United States embassy announced today it is taking over provisionally Yugoslav interests in Italy.
Claim Will Not Attack Turkey
NEW YORK, April 10.—(AP)—The Rome radio broadcast today a report "from well-informed sources" that Germany's ace diplomat, Franz Von Papen, ambassador to Turkey, had reiterated to Turkish Foreign Minister Saracoglu "the assurances that Germany has no intention of attacking Turkey." The broadcast was picked up by CBS.
Report Nazis Enter Belgrade.
BUDAPEST, Hungary, April 10.—(AP)—An unconfirmed rumor circulated in Budapest today said German troops had entered Belgrade, bomb-blasted capital of Yugoslavia.

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an investigator had reported to the Dies committee that "there was sabotage" of machinery in the Ford Rouge plant, with damage of at least \$300,000. Starnes, acting committee chairman, told newsmen he was urging the group to turn the greater portion of its effort "toward acts of agents of axis powers slowing down our defense program."
Had "Fine Talk."
Governor Van Wagner earlier today reported having a "fine talk" with Henry Ford and said he felt there was reason to believe the 8-day Rouge strike was near an end.
All parties are aiming for a quick settlement of the strike with a singleness of purpose," the governor declared.
Favorable Mediator James F. Dewey announced, meanwhile, that direct conferences between company and union representatives have been discontinued for the present.
The CIO United Automobile Workers Union demands a contract, wage increases for hourly workers, and substitution of uniformed protection employees for the Ford service department which union leaders have termed a "company spy system."

Although details of a proposed new contract between soft coal operators and CIO United Mine Workers were reported unacceptable to some mine owners, Dr. John R. Steelman, director of the United States conciliation service, declared:
"No Danger of Coal Shortage."
"Sufficient agreement has been reached to assure the country that there is no danger of a coal shortage."

Steelman asserted that operators whose mines produce 35 per cent of the tonnage in the Appalachian area, or 38.2 per cent of the nation's output, were "willing to meet the union's demands for increased wages. The CIO-UMW seeks elimination of a 40-cent differential between northern and southern fields, for a straight \$7 a day wage this would mean a boost of \$1 a day in the North and \$1.40 in the South. Southern operators objected to this arrangement."

The federal conciliator also said he expected that operators in outlying areas would join the agreement, thus accounting for 58.1-2 per cent of the 1.3 coal tonnage.
Knudsen Optimistic.
Testifying before the House military committee in Washington yesterday, Production Chief William S. Knudsen expressed belief that "work stoppages will be fewer from now on," and recommended that the nation's depend on mediation and employer-employee cooperation to prevent defense strikes.

The committee is conducting an investigation of the national defense program.
Knudsen said legislative action to prevent strikes should be considered "only as a last resort."

John L. O'Brien, counsel for the office of production management, seconded his chief's recommendations, remarking that "the longer I live, the less faith I have in compelling people to render service and the more faith I have in co-operation."

After hearing the OPM officials and Secretary of Labor Perkins, who also said she felt legislation was not necessary to end strikes in defense industries, the committee recessed until Tuesday.
Knudsen told the committee he favored a "cooling off period" in labor disputes, preferably to be established by collective bargaining agreements or through the labor department's conciliation service.
However, he said that "if it can't be arranged in any other way" such a waiting period should be required by law.

In response to questions, Knud-

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sen said he thought it would be "all right" for Congress to take over a struck defense plant if ineffectual failed.
He said he did not believe that the Dies committee had any solution to the problem of continued production.
"If you exchange a strike for a slow-up," he declared, "you wouldn't be much better off."

AFL machinists on strike against 60 San Francisco firms voted at a union meeting last night to reject a wage increase compromise offered by employers, effective during outside arbitration. Employers said the strike of the 1,500 machinists had affected 4,500 other workmen and halted work on \$7,000,000 of defense orders. The union demanded a 15-cent-an-hour increase for journeymen and employers offered a 12-1/2 cent raise.

GERMAN

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It reiterated that the Greek army isolated in Eastern Greece "surrendered unconditionally."
(The Greeks reported that late yesterday their trapped eastern forces still were fighting a desperate although virtually hopeless battle against the Germans.)

Axis Commission Meets.
BERLIN, April 10.—(AP)—The principal commission set up by the three powers to discuss political and economic problems under the chairmanship of German Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop, Japan was represented by her ambassador to Berlin, Hirota, and Italy by her envoy, Dino Alfieri.

Contact Established.
BUDAPEST, Hungary, April 10.—(AP)—The newspaper *Orsi Ujsag* (literally "The Eight o'clock News") declared today that German troops had established contact with the Italian troops in Albania.

SHIPS

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comparable provision with respect to foreign-owned vessels lying idle in our ports.

Growing Tonnage Shortage.
"In view of the growing shortage of available tonnage suited to our national needs, I am satisfied after consultation with the heads of the interested departments and agencies of the government, that we should have statutory authority to take over any such vessels as our need may require, subject, of course, to the payment of just compensation."

"It is obvious that our ultimate defense will be rendered futile if the growing shortage of shipping facilities is not arrested."

Ships in American ports include two German and 28 Italian vessels which have been taken into custody on grounds of sabotage or attempted sabotage. Berlin and Rome have protested the seizures. Informed persons predicted congress would grant the requested authority and that soon thereafter the President would use the acquired ships in some form helpful to the British.
Mr. Roosevelt told his press con-

ference Tuesday this government had the right to declare the 30 axis ships forfeited to the United States but could not turn them over to the British under such a procedure. However, their addition to the United States merchant marine might permit the release of some American vessels.

Whether any steps were planned which might result in the purchase of the axis vessels, the message did not hint. But nowhere in it was there a reference to Denmark alone or to any specific country of its ships.

The legislation which Mr. Roosevelt proposed today apparently would establish the right to condemn domain even in days of limited emergency.

The President sent along with his message for the possible assistance of congress a draft of a resolution to accomplish the purpose outlined. The resolution contemplates use of some of the 17,000,000,000 appropriation for aid to nations resisting aggression.

Danish Transfer.
As for the Danish transfer, the President has said it had the acquiescence of the Danish minister to the United States. However, the foreign office at Copenhagen said today it had instructed the minister to advise the United States Denmark would neither sell nor lease ships. The legislation would not comment on this word from Denmark.

The President directed attention also in his message to the fact that an inability to remove materials piling up in ports could result in stopping production, with a consequent effect on employment and on contracts.

It is essential, both to the defense and domestic economy, the

Chief Executive declared, that "we shall not permit the continuance of the immobilization in our harbors of shipping facilities."

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OVER TWENTY-FIVE MILLION ACRES OF CROPS HARVESTED

ACREAGE LESS THAN TEN-YEAR AVERAGE BUT ACRE-YIELD IS ABOVE THAT

COLLEGE STATION, April 10.—(Special).—A total of 25,844,000 acres of crops were harvested in Texas in 1940. According to E. A. Miller, extension agronomist, this exceeded the 1939 acreage by about three per cent, but was about nine per cent below the 1929-1938 ten-year average. Acre yields of all major crops last year, however, exceeded the ten-year average, and in most instances those of 1939.

Cotton harvested in 1940 is estimated at 3,285,000 bales on 8,523,000 acres, with an average of 185 pounds an acre. The acre average in 1939 was 160 pounds on 8,520,000 acres and the ten-year average, 149 pounds. The ten-year harvest average, however, is 3,876,000 bales and the average acreage, 12,584,000. Production exceeded that of 1939 in every district excepting district eight, Miller says, notwithstanding that unfavorable weather shortened production in the northwestern area of the state toward the end of the season.

There was 581 organized cotton groups with 58,144 members and 1,697,737 acres, which received free federal Smith-Doxey cotton classing service, and represented 20 per cent of the total harvested acreage in the state.

The estimated 90,324,000 bushels of corn produced in 1940 is about 23 per cent more than was harvested in 1939, and 20 per cent more

LIBRARY PROJECT WPA WORKERS HELD MEETING WEDNESDAY

Several WPA library workers of Navarro county were called into the Wm. B. Travis elementary school library for an all-day meeting on Wednesday. The training was conducted under the supervision of Frances S. Allen, area project supervisor, and included classification and plans for helping in home defense. There were seven WPA library workers present including Fern J. Matthews, Florence L. Welch, Naomi L. Hayes, Grace C. Seale, Erma D. Thompson, Alice B. Hollingsworth and Cora V. Bates.

The WPA library project has units operating in nine towns in the county and furnishes employment for thirteen workers who perform various phases of library work, including book circulation, book renovation, classification, cataloging, vertical file work, making exhibits, etc.

than the 1929-1938 average of 75,556,000 bushels. The average yield of 19.5 bushels an acre is substantially in excess of the ten-year average and is attributed to one of the best crops ever grown in the blackland area. Floods in some regions and drought in others prevented the acre average yield from reaching a higher figure.

Wheat production, on a slightly larger acreage than in 1939, but well below the ten-year average, is estimated at 29,332,000 bushels, compared with 29,032,000 bushels the previous year, and 32,958,000 for the ten-year average. Oats, rice, sorghums, especially sweet sorghums forage and peanuts showed an increase over the preceding year.

During the year, 12,673 demonstrations with field crops were conducted by adults on 363,895 acres, and 4,961 by club boys on 13,233 acres. Miller says that the grand total of increased value of extension work in agronomy in 1940, excepting peanuts, was \$3,104,040.

These figures include premiums on cotton in one-variety communities and the value of 879,176 acres of legumes plowed under for soil improvement.

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ON VISIT TO OLD EMMAUS ONE FINDS EASTER MESSAGE*

Where Disciples Discovered the Risen Christ, A Monastery Now Stands, With Restricted Hospitality—Present Applications of An Easter Experience—The War Dead.

By WILLIAM T. ELLIS

One chilly winter afternoon Milady and I set out from Jerusalem to spend the night at traditional Emmaus, about seven miles west of the city. We took no guide or interpreter. There is a long Franciscan monastery at Emmaus, which used to provide free food and shelter to all comers; but that hospitality was abused and the practice discontinued. We felt that there would be a welcome for paying guests.

The journey meant more than the goal. In spirit, we accompanied the two disheartened disciples who once trod this road across the breezy uplands of Judea when an unrecognized Another joined them. The way was conducive to "long, long thoughts," for on every hand were scenes associated with Israel's history.

The day was far spent when we arrived at the monastery gate in the little village, where a native attendant was inclined to rebuff us. We insisted upon seeing one of the monks, and in our meagre French explained our desires. So we were taken into the large buildings, the only guests; and assigned an equipped though bare and chilly room. Late in the evening food was served us at the long refectory table. Conversation with the attendant monk was rather difficult.

Emmaus hospitality institutionalized, has gone to seed. It needed all of our imagination, and knowledge of the Gospel story, to reconstruct the dramatic scene wherein the risen Jesus was revealed to the two disciples in the breaking of the bread.

The Place Versus the Spirit. As readers speak of these scenes, I am deeply devoted to the geographical sites of the Bible story; having visited more of them than any other man. Yet nobody is ready to confess the inadequacy of the places to carry the spirit of the events that once transpired thereon. Our Emmaus experience was typical of what we found at many other important sites.

At Easter—not this year, of course, because of war conditions—the Church of the Holy Sepulchre in Jerusalem is so crowded with pilgrims from many lands that admission is difficult. But the real

o The Sunday School Lesson o
o for April 13, is "Christ shows o
o Himself Alive." — Luke o
o 24:1-48. (Easter Lesson.) o
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Observers of our time often remark the passing of simple, old-fashioned hospitality which meant a sharing of the home, however plain. Much modern entertaining is formal, and provided in hotels and restaurants. It lacks the spontaneity of simpler days. One of the outstanding Christian qualities of Milady is that she consistently displays the grace of genuine hospitality. The happy privilege that this has brought to our lives throughout the years, and the influence of guests upon our children when they were growing up, are a reward of life.

It was in the breaking and blessing of the bread that the identity of the Guest was revealed to the two disciples. We do not really know how they have broken bread with them. This is one of the rewards of hospitality; as was so dramatically the case at Emmaus. At the impromptu meal at Emmaus, a blessing was asked; a fashion that used to be general in Christian homes. In these crowded days, grace at table is the only form of family worship found feasible; but it should never be neglected. Forms in which the whole family may unite are especially desirable when there are children.

Easter activities.

With peculiar poignancy we observe this Easter. The war has vastly increased the number of earth's dead and dying. The mystery of death and resurrection is the issue of utmost moment to myriads. If our Gospel be true, then death is not the ultimate disaster. There are many fates worse than death, and we have hope brighter than that of arising to a heavenly life. Dr. Andrew Mutch gave me this poem, by an unknown author:

"Death is only a quiet door
Set in a garden wall;
On gentle hinges it gives, at dusk,
When the thrushes call.

"Along the lintel are green leaves,
Beyond the light he's still;
Very willing and weary feet
Go over the sill.

"There is nothing to trouble any heart,
Nothing to hurt at all.
Death is a quiet door,
In an old wall."

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Trifles make perfection but perfection is no trifle.—Michael Angelo

Christ gives a new heredity when He teaches us "Our Father."

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To grow a little wiser day by day,
To school my mind and body to obey,
To keep my inner life both clean and strong,
To free my life from guile, my hand from wrong,
To shut the door on hate and scorn and pride,
To open them to love the windows wide,
To meet with cheerful words what comes to me,
To turn life's discords into harmony,
To share some weary worker's heavy load,
To point some straying comrade to the road,
To know that what I have is not my own,
To feel that I am never quite alone;
This would I pray from day to day,
For then I know my life would flow
In peace until it be God's will I go.—Anon.

The only competition worthy a wise man is with himself.—Mrs. Jameson.

For mankind are one in spirit, and the distinct bears along.
Round the earth electric circle, the swift flash of right or wrong;
Whether conscious or unconscious yet a part of each man's frame,
Through its ocean-sundered fibers feels the gush of joy or shame—
In the gain or loss of one race all the rest have equal claim.
—James Russell Lowell.

To see what is right and not do it is want of courage.—Confucius.

Now is Christ risen from the dead

TEXAS RANKS FIFTH IN NUMBER CHICKENS RAISED IN NATION

POULTRY INDUSTRY STATE EARNS APPROXIMATELY \$45,000,000 YEARLY

COLLEGE STATION, April 10. (Sp.)—The poultry industry earns approximately \$45,000,000 yearly for Texas producers, including eggs valued at \$30,182,000 and turkey and other poultry meats valued at \$13,819,000. Income from poultry is exceeded only by three other premier Texas products, cotton, beef and dairy cattle. There are approximately 24,600,000 chickens on Texas farms, ranking fifth among the states.

Geo. P. McCarthy, Extension poultry husbandman, attributes the increase in the poultry business mainly to enlarged hatchery capacity in recent years. This capacity rose from 12,524,000 eggs in 1934 to 18,331,000 in 1938, or 46.4 per cent. Texas ranks ninth in this division, but in the number of hatcheries, stand second with 67, or 57 fewer than Iowa, the leader. Some 40,000 chicks are started each year in the state and indicating the size of the industry, hatcherymen spend an estimated \$100,000 weekly during the hatching season.

Most recent reports show 425-891 Texas farms having poultry and 75,126 have none. Two thirds of the chicken flocks number less

than 50 each, compared with an average of 137 laying hens on farms in Iowa. A controlling factor in the lower average for Texas is that grain is not a principal crop, the specialist says. The counties that are the current large producers of poultry lie in a wide north-south strip through the central part of the state. But the west plains area is becoming more important yearly.

Several counties in east Texas and scattered counties in west Texas, totaling 41, do not produce enough eggs to supply the domestic demand for the year. Farms in these counties produce an average of less than 150 dozen a year. This requires farm families to limit their diet or buy them outside the counties.

The turkey crop returns about \$3,000,000 yearly to Texas farmers. McCarthy says growers are improving their flocks by selecting their breeding stock for health, vigor and quick maturity.

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APPLICATIONS FOR COTTON COMFORTER MATERIAL SUSPENDED

COLLEGE STATION, April 10. (Sp.)—On account of army purchases in connection with the defense program, submission of further orders for percale and comforter cotton have been discontinued.

D. Walker, acting director for the southern division of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, his notified B. F. Vance, administrative officer in charge of the AAA for Texas, that the discontinuance would affect applications for comforter material in excess of that amount covered by orders on hand at Washington.

The comfort program, supplementing the cotton mattress program was begun in February. Walker explained that army purchases made it impossible for the Surplus Marketing Administration to ob-

tain additional percale in quantities sufficient to carry on the program.

Percale ordered for the Texas comfort program prior to the discontinuance order, totaled 2,903,030 yards. Allotting ten yards to each unit, this would provide for 290,303 comforts.

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TO HEAD MILITARY COM-
MITTEE SUCCEED SHEPPARD**

WASHINGTON, April 10.—(AP)—Chairmanship of the Senate military committee, which plays an influential role in shaping national defense legislation, appeared likely today to pass into the hands of strapping, ruddy-faced Robert Reynolds, North Carolina Democrat often at odds with President Roosevelt's foreign policies.

The death yesterday of veteran Senator Morris Sheppard, Texas Democrat who had headed the committee for several years, left Reynolds as the ranking majority member with apparently undisputed claim to the chairmanship.

Reynolds, first elected to the Senate in 1932, has opposed the administration on various foreign policy issues, but usually has gone along on domestic legislation. He voted against repeal of the arms embargo in 1939 and more recently opposed enactment of the British aid law.

On the other hand, he voted with the administration for enactment of the selective service law last fall and followed his opposition to the British aid bill by voting for the \$7,000,000 appropriation sought by the President to implement the terms of that measure.

Reynolds' record thus stood in sharp contrast to that of Sheppard, a consistent administration supporter. No less marked was the personal contrast between the two. Sheppard, small, quiet and retiring, spoke seldom in the Senate.

Reynolds, a husky former track captain and football player at the University of North Carolina, is a frequent and voluble orator. His favorite theme being that Congress should tighten immigration restrictions.

In a gesture of respect and tribute, the Senate arranged to adjourn today immediately after meeting at noon. The Texas senator's body then was to lie in state in the Senate chamber, with a military guard of honor, from 2 until 4 p. m.

Vice President Wallace and Speaker Rayburn planned to appoint twenty-one senators and twenty-one House members to accompany the body to Texas, leaving at 8:20 p. m. Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon in Texarkana, Tex., Sheppard's home for forty years.

Governor W. Lee O'Daniel of Texas is expected to appoint promptly a temporary successor to Senator Sheppard. Within ten days the governor must issue a call for a special election to be held within sixty to ninety days.

Arrangements were made for a military escort to accompany Sheppard's body to Texas, and then transfer the body to the Union Station. It will then be sent to Texarkana, where funeral services will be held at the state Line Methodist Church at 3 p. m. Saturday.

No services were planned in the senate, and it merely was arranged for Sheppard's friends to pass by his bier. Many persons sent flowers, and these were to be placed around the casket in the well of the chamber.

**Lois Ferguson Weds
Eugene Thoroughman
In Kerens Monday**

Miss Lois Ferguson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Ferguson of Tyler, and Mr. Eugene S. Thoroughman, son of Mrs. O. R. Thoroughman of Muskogee, Okla., were married Monday afternoon, April 7, at 1 o'clock at the Methodist parsonage in Kerens by the pastor of the church, the Rev. J. O. Sessions.

Immediately after the ceremony, the couple left for their apartment at 317 West Twenty-Third Street, Little Rock, Ark., where Mr. Thoroughman is employed.

Recall Demanded



The Italian government demanded the recall of Captain William C. Bentley (above), assistant military attaché of the United States embassy in Rome in apparent reprisal for the action of the United States in forcing the withdrawal of the Italian naval attaché from this country.

CRIMINAL DOCKET OF COUNTY COURT TUESDAY, APRIL 15

Following is the setting of criminal docket, County Court, Navarro county, Texas:

Tuesday, April 15, 1941.
12274—The State of Texas vs. Johnson Widener theft.

12275—The State of Texas vs. Johnson Widener, theft.

12276—The State of Texas vs. Roy (Red) Baker, theft.

12277—The State of Texas vs. Roy (Red) Baker, theft.

12278—The State of Texas vs. Roy (Red) Baker, theft.

12279—The State of Texas vs. F. Wylie, worthless check.

12280—The State of Texas vs. Robert Price, theft.

12281—The State of Texas vs. Norman Cagle, worthless check.

12282—The State of Texas vs. Norman Cagle, worthless check.

12283—The State of Texas vs. W. O. Bounds, speeding. (Appealed from Justice Court at Kerens.)

12284—The State of Texas vs. W. O. Bounds, speeding. (Appealed from Justice Court at Kerens.)

12285—The State of Texas vs. Roy Metcalf, operating commercial motor vehicle without two license plates.

12286—The State of Texas vs. Roy Metcalf, failure to deliver to tax collector, etc., an affidavit showing weight of commercial motor vehicle, and unlawfully operating commercial motor vehicle without carrying on said vehicle license receipt showing weight of vehicle.

12288—The State of Texas vs. E. W. Hays, speeding.

E. D. McCORMICK,
County Judge.
CHARLES T. BANISTER,
Criminal District Attorney.

oughman is issuing clerk for "Subsistent Stores," Camp Robinson, Ark.

Mrs. Thoroughman is the twin sister of Mrs. Reuben Bunch of this city.

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ANNOUNCE SUCCESS OF EXPERIMENTS IN COAL DEVELOPMENTS

**OIL AND GASOLINE MAY BE
TAKEN FROM INEXHAUSTIBLE
COAL SUPPLY NATION**

WASHINGTON, April 10.—(AP)—Success of experiments in this country to develop gasoline and oil from America's virtually inexhaustible coal reserves was announced today by the federal bureau of mines.

The bureau declared that known United States coal reserves were sufficient to supply the nation's oil needs through the new process for about 3,000 years, at the present rate of consumption.

Some Bureau of Mines experts have declared the present supply of petroleum in sight by known production methods is sufficient to last only 15 years more, although other oil specialists reckon the underground supply is considerably larger. On the other hand, coal reserves were estimated at more than 3,000,000,000,000 tons, enough the bureau said, to yield upward of 3,800,000,000,000 barrels of oil.

The hydrocarbon process of synthesizing oil from coal already is in use commercially in Europe, especially in Germany, and the technique was applied to American coals in the bureau's Pittsburgh laboratories.

While definitely establishing the process as practicable, and in certain circumstances advisable, government technicians did not estimate the cost of gasoline and oil produced from coal on a perfect quantity output basis. From experience in Germany and England, however, it has been indicated that the cost would be considerably greater than through use of crude petroleum.

The bureau is investigating all major types of domestic coals to determine their gasoline and oil content.

FROST HI DEBATORS MADE AN EXCELLENT SHOWING AT BAYLOR

FROST, April 9.—(Spl.)—Frost High school debaters made an excellent showing in the district University of Texas Interscholastic league competition last week and at Baylor University, Waco.

Betty Jo Jones and June Oberg, girls' debate club, won an unanimous decision in all their debates. The Frost girls defeated Waco in the finals after the Wacoans had won over Corsicana High in the semi-finals.

Tommie Houser and Erwood Tullios, Frost boy debaters, finished in second place in the district competition, losing to the Waco boys in the finals.

During the past 19 years, W. V. Harrison, superintendent of the local schools, has been debate coach. His teams have copied Navarro county titles and several teams have won honors in district, regional and state honors. One team lost in the semi-finals at Austin.

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Raids Carried Out By RAF In North Africa

CAIRO, Egypt, April 10.—(AP)—Bucking sandstorms which hid objectives, the RAF has carried out many raids and inflicted casualties on German and Italian columns in the North African desert, the British reported today.

Thirty-one Italian planes were left in a damaged condition when the Italians fled Addis Ababa, a communique said.

The air force, cooperating in the capture of Massara, Red Sea port,

bombing Italian ships which were shelling the British troops, one ship was reported hit. Gun positions on Mount Umberto also were bombed, the communique said.

Many Prisoners Taken.

NAIROBI, Kenya Colony, April 10.—(AP)—Four thousand Italians and 1,000 natives were taken prisoner with the British occupation of Addis Ababa, it was officially announced today.

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SPIRITED SENATE FLOOR CONTROVERSY OVER AIR SERVICE

**MOST EFFECTIVE MANNER
EXPANDING TRANS-ATLANTIC
AIR LINES DISCUSSED**

WASHINGTON, April 10.—(AP)—A spirited Senate floor controversy was reported in the making today over the most effective manner of expanding trans-Atlantic air service in preparation for a period of

stiff international competition expected to develop after the war. The dispute already was led to several heated sessions of the Senate appropriations committee which decided, after hearing a variety of expert testimony, to recommend subsidization of a second airline to Europe in addition to that operated by Pan-American Airways.

The decision was made by a 14-13 vote.

The proposed new service would be operated by American Export Air Lines, subsidiary of American Export Lines which is now operating a steamship service to Portugal and has long had plans for an airline.

Witnesses before the committee were reported to have been virtually unanimous in predicting that the war would be followed by an era of violent compe-

tion among the Trans-Oceanic airlines of many countries.

The forecast that technical advances and energies now concentrated on military aviation would then be employed in a mad scramble among leading nations for domination of this rich commerce.

Formation Croat State.

BUDAPEST, Hungary, April 10.—(AP)—The official German news agency announced today under a Zagreb dateline the formation of an independent Croat state.

The agency said Yugoslav Premier Vladimir Macek, speaking over the Zagreb radio, announced that Ante Pavelic, head of the Ustachi terrorist organization, which was said to have plotted the assassination of King Alexander of Yugoslavia in 1934, would be chief of the new state.

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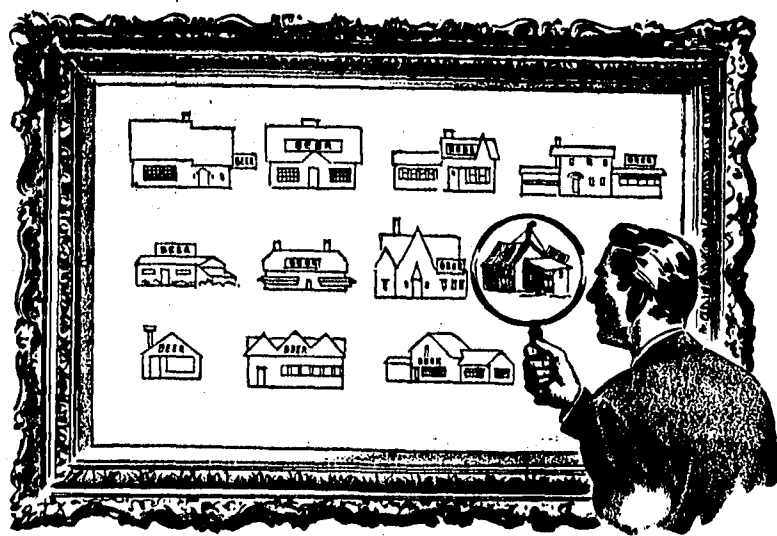
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AUSTIN MAN DIED SUDDENLY IN WACO; BURIAL THURSDAY

WACO, April 10.—Louie McKenzie, 44, of Austin, formerly of Waco, died here suddenly Wednesday with a heart attack. Funeral rites were held here Thursday.

He was employed in the accounting and maintenance department of the state highway department and formerly was bookkeeper for Texas Fireproof Storage company and the Citizens National Bank here. A veteran of the World War, he was stationed in Panama.

Surviving are his wife, Austin; a son, John L. McKenzie, Austin; a grandson, Ronald James McKenzie, Austin.

Funeral Services For Guy McDonald Held Thursday

Funeral services for Guy McDonald, aged 34 years, of San Antonio, who died Tuesday night following injuries reported sustained at a labor temple Monday night, were held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Black Hills church with burial in the Black Hills cemetery. The rites were conducted by Rev. Tolbert F. Hoffman of San Antonio.

Surviving are his wife, Ava McDonald, and a daughter, Betty Nell McDonald, both of San Antonio; parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. McDonald, Alma; six brothers, Lloyd McDonald, Ennis; J. T. McDonald, Silver City, N. M.; Sam McDonald, Corsicana; Arlee McDonald, Corpus Christi; Aubrey and James Eddie McDonald, both of Alma; and a sister, Dorothy Mae McDonald, Alma.

McDonald was a cement worker. Sutherland-McCammon Funeral Home was in charge.

MRS. A. J. JACKSON FUNERAL SERVICES HELD HERE THURSDAY

Funeral services for Mrs. A. J. Jackson, aged 82 years, who died at the home of Mrs. W. E. Atwood here Wednesday morning, were held Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Oak Grove church. Burial was in the Oak Grove cemetery. The rites were conducted by Rev. A. E. Harrison, pastor of the Kerens Baptist church, assisted by Rev. Joe N. Evehsart, pastor of the Kerens Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Jackson was a native of Shelby county Texas, and was a long-time resident of Navarro county.

Surviving are two sons, John V. Jackson, Fort Worth, and Virgil Jackson, Batesville, Ark.; four daughters, Mrs. J. A. Collins and Mrs. J. W. Simmons, both of Kerens; Mrs. Eddie Stockard, Fort Cobb, Okla., and Mrs. Trudie Fulmer, Little Rock, Ark.; thirty-two grandchildren, twenty-two great grandchildren and other relatives.

Stockton Funeral Home directed arrangements.

MRS. C. L. GILLEN DIED WEDNESDAY AT BLOOMING GROVE

BLOOMING GROVE, Tex., April 10.—(Special).—Mrs. C. L. Gillen, aged 51 years, died at her home here Wednesday night.

Funeral services were held here Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Methodist Church with burial in Rose Hill cemetery. The rites were conducted by Rev. Maggart B. Howell, pastor of the church.

Surviving are her husband of Blooming Grove; to sons, Bruce Gillen, Camp Bowie, Brownwood, Texas, and C. L. Gillen, Jr., Blooming Grove; mother, Mrs. Jim Renfro; five brothers, Roscoe, Marvin, and Vess Renfro, all of Corsicana; and Vess Renfro, all of Corsicana.

R. D. McFARLAND DIED WEDNESDAY HOME DAUGHTER

FROST, Tex., April 10.—(Special).—R. D. (Bob) McFarland, aged 71 years, retired merchant, died suddenly at the home of his daughter, Mrs. John Slay, here Wednesday night. Funeral services were conducted Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Baptist Church with burial in the Frost cemetery. The rites were conducted by Rev. Arthur Renfro, Waco, and Frank Renfro, California, and a sister in Corsicana. She was a sister-in-law of Drew Gillen of Blooming Grove, county commissioner.

McCormick Funeral Service directed arrangements.

C. P. Revival In Progress at Dawson

DAWSON, April 10.—(Spl.).—The Presbyterian revival began Sunday morning and will continue through next Sunday. Services each evening at 7:45. The pastor Rev. N. A. Woychuck, is preaching and leading the singing, while Mrs. Edward Hale is pianist. Everyone invited.

D. P. Cagle, pastor of the church. A native of Tennessee, he was in the mercantile business at Mertens prior to entering business here about forty-five years ago. Surviving is one daughter, Mrs. Slay.

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A new Tie... 49c
New Sox... 10c
New Shoes... \$1.98

TOTAL \$18.29

A Handsome Outfit
for only **\$28.20**

A new Hat... \$3.98
A new Suit... \$17.95
A new Shirt... \$1.49
A new Tie... 98c
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A POE ANNIVERSARY.

The literary world is taking note in April of the 100th anniversary of the publication in Graham's Magazine of Poe's "Murders in the Rue Morgue." Even in this day of tremendous production of mystery tales, Poe's contribution stands out among the best.

There is a growing feeling, expressed by critics as well as readers, that current murder stories are too long and too gory. At the same time they frequently fail to make the reader's blood run cold. It should be possible, now and then, to write a thrilling detective story or mystery without actually butchering anybody. The delight for the reader should lie in the skilfully drawn plot, the suspense, the developments so artfully portrayed that the conclusion seems absolutely logical even to the reader who didn't foresee it.

Because of the popularity of this type of fiction, there is no need to stress the Poe anniversary for the sake of drumming up trade for the current output. Poe deserves this attention, however, and devoted followers of recent "Whodunit" yarns might add to their own pleasure by turning back to his works for a glimpse of genuinely effective horror writing and expert sleuthing.

UNITY FOR FREEDOM.

It is hard to recall a defeated presidential candidate more useful than Wendell Willkie. This statement would probably be approved by most Americans today, regardless of party. People are forgetting about politics now and looking at basic realities.

Why is it that a political loser wins all this acclaim in England, in Canada and at home? It may be admitted that Wendell has a way with him. Personality counts. But there is more than that, and something that the American people today need to know and acknowledge whenever and wherever it appears.

This something is the power that comes from believing in a great cause and putting your heart into it. We need more Americans of talent today—many more—going all out as Mr. Willkie has done, regardless of consequences, for American unity in the service of human freedom.

We need their help not only in public halls and in the newspapers, but in our daily business and on the street and in the shops and mills where our armor and weapons of democracy are being forged for the nations that need them. Especially we need it in those shops and mills! We need a hundred Willkies to talk to striking workmen and stubborn employers and show them the error of their ways.

CHIVALRY.

The Nazis describe as "very unchivalrous" the action of United States officials who turned over to Canadian authorities two German war prisoners. They had escaped and crossed to the American side of the boundary at Niagara Falls.

It seems that this was a technical breach of international law. The rule has been that prisoners of war were free when they escaped to another country. The American officials in this case were either ignorant of the rule, or chose to ignore it.

JUST FOLKS

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TWO ROADS.

"There are two ways to go," Life said.
"The easy and the hard.
And easy's the one
And one is long and rough to
By difficulties barred.
The easy way is timed to pace
Safe and serene and common-
place.
The easy way abandons pride,
Ambition, wisdom, skill,
From what seems hard it turns
aside.
The lesser path to fill,
You'll find its youngsters as a
rule
Resent being made to go to
school.
"Who takes the easy way must
take
The poor rewards of ease.
The pay the unskilled hand can
make.
And numberless are these.
The easy way is gay and loud,
And always people with a crowd.
"But worth is difficult to gain
And difficult to keep.
Progress is won by stress and
strain.
Great skill is never cheap.
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ships lies.
Bay, take the hard way and be
wise."

more it. From a standpoint of strict precedent, this is regrettable. But there is a certain sardonic humor in the protest made by Berlin officials and journalists. Who are they to claim the benefits of "international law" when they have done more to break it down than any other government in modern times? Where Nazi interests are concerned, they recognize no law except their own will. And it is the natural fate of the lawless to lose legal protection for themselves. As for "chivalry", when have we seen Hitler or his associates perform a chivalrous act?

FLOOD BIOGRAPHIES.

The Soil Conservation Service is ready to record much important information as spring comes on. It will assemble the "biographies" of floods wherever they occur. Later the records will be sent to Army engineers, the Geological Survey and the U. S. Weather Bureau. The study covers the location of high water marks, the intensity and total amount of rains, the conditions of the soil, estimates of flood damage, and so on. Newspaper accounts of any floods that occur will be added to the report.

With such information in hand, future soil conservation authorities can work more accurately and plan intelligent cooperation with farmers. Eventually, flood control works to be built at strategic points indicated by the surveys should cut down the size of future floods.

KITCHEN ALUMINUM.

Housewives will still be able to get some aluminum ware for their kitchens—if they're lucky and have "established priorities" by getting their orders in early. But it is well not to expect much.

Edward R. Stettinius Jr., priorities director, has directed aluminum producers to set aside 1 per cent of their April output for civilian use. That will be used only for "essential replacements and repairs of civilian materials." The cook may have to fill out a searching questionnaire to qualify for a new stew pot or kettle.

Generally speaking, kitchen replacements may have to fall back on tinware. And there won't be much tin on them, either. For tin, like aluminum, is a precious war material.

As for Colonel Lindbergh, who is sure Hitler can't be beaten, we wonder what he would say now about the audacity of a certain young man who once undertook to fly across the Atlantic alone, when it had never been done.

If Lord Beaverbrook has produced such a miraculous supply of warplanes in so short a time, maybe we should borrow him for a couple of months.

The "profit motive" somehow doesn't seem so profitable as it used to be.

These industrial fighters should get together and sing, "I am an American."

It's big bombs in England and big bums in some other countries.

KEY TO VICTORY!



CHAMBER COMMERCE ENDORSES FORMATION HOME GUARD UNITS

Members of the board of directors of the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce endorsed the formation of home guard units and urged local citizens eligible to fill the roster of the company here at once. The action was taken at the regular board meeting held Tuesday morning after a statement had been made that between twenty and thirty additional enlistments were needed to bring the company to full strength.

A letter was read from Representative James E. Taylor stating he was opposed to the proposed anti-pollution bill and thanked the board for their expressions on the matter at the last meeting.

Milk Production Gains.

Manager R. W. Knight reported several additional milk cows had been brought into the county recently and production was gaining daily. He intimated further development of the dairy program might be expected shortly.

J. F. (Speedy) Adams told the board that sponsors of the formation of home guard units, especially in the industrial and oil-producing areas had been urged to compete their organizations as quickly as possible by high officials with promise of every aid and cooperation from state and federal officials. The board then took the action mentioned above.

Fred H. Harvey, Jr., general chairman of local arrangements for the entertainment of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce convention, said plans and work were well advanced and Corsicana could be ready for the meeting immediately.

One float had been definitely entered and nineteen bands representing nearly 1,500 musicians had promised to participate in the parade, and more than thirty sweethearts would be on hand to represent their communities.

ELLIS COUNTY MAN LOSES HIS SAVINGS TO FORTUNE TELLERS

DALLAS, April 8.—(P)—Dallas officers sought three fortune tellers today after an elderly Ellis County farmer reported they had gotten his life's savings of \$7,600 with a promise of doubling his money.

Deputy Sheriff Jess White of Ellis County said it came about when the trio set up a mind-reading establishment in Waxahatchie. White said the farmer, whose name he declined to reveal, was induced to draw his savings from the bank and put it in a money belt, that they blessed the contents and would be doubled in five days providing he did not look at the contents.

Yesterday when the five days were up the farmer opened the belt and found it contained only paper, the deputy said. The fortune tellers were nowhere to be found.

Personal

Sheriff Cup Curington returned home Monday night after appearing as a witness in Eldorado, Texas.

R. A. Caldwell, district clerk, was summoned as a witness in a case on trial in Belton Monday.

EASTER EGG HUNT BE STAGED STATE HOME CAMPUS SUNDAY

An Easter egg hunt will be staged on the campus of the State Home for the little children at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon. One feature of the hunt will be the search for the golden egg, according to Superintendent Malley. The finder will receive a cash prize. Other prizes will be given to the finders of the silver eggs, the most and the least number of eggs. The egg hunt is an annual affair but heretofore has been held on Saturday.

Immediately following the hunt, there will be a program of Easter music given on the steps of the Administration building by the older children. The program will take the place of the usual Sun Rise Easter program. Visitors are welcome to both events. Cars may be parked on the main walk during the hunt, but driving around the ground at this time is discouraged as a safety precaution.

Junior High School Tennis Is Announced

RICHLAND, April 8.—(Spl.)—Results of the junior high school tennis competition in the Navarro county interscholastic league has been announced as follows by J. A. Sands, superintendent of the local schools, and director of that division of the county loop: Boys' Doubles—Blossing Grove, first, and Frost second. Boys' Singles—Frost, first, and Barry second. Girls' Doubles—Emmett, first, and Blossing Grove second. Girls' Singles—Frost, first, and Barry second.

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DR. A. M. M'AFEE IS NAMED PRESIDENT U OF T EX-STUDENTS

Dr. A. M. McAfee of Port Arthur, Texas, famous oil company chemist, last week-end was elected president of the University of Texas Ex-Students association.

Dr. McAfee was reared in Corsicana and graduated from Corsicana High School in the class of 1904. Sydney Marks and Lloyd G. Kerr were classmates. Several brothers and sisters of Dr. McAfee reside here.

Enjoyed Dogwood Trail. KERENS, April 8.—(Spl.)—Mrs. W. T. Stockton spent last week in Fort Worth, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Ben Stroder. Mr. and Mrs. Stroder brought Mrs. Stockton home Saturday and the week. Mr. Stockton and Mrs. Sallie T. Manning were among the many from Kerens who enjoyed the Dogwood Trail Sunday.



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TUBERCULOSIS TESTS REVEAL SOME CASES IN CITY SCHOOLS

Recent health tests in the Corsicana public schools by Mrs. Marion McAdams, health nurse, have revealed two advanced cases of tuberculosis and ten other cases necessitating proper treatment, in addition to a number of measles, chickenpox and mumps cases. In the monthly report issued through the office of Superintendent W. H. Norwood Tuesday, Mrs. McAdams pointed out that tuberculosis testing in the local schools has been completed. Fifty-two skin tests and twelve X-rays were made. As the results, two children were sent to the State Sanatorium. Ten others are being provided with proper diet and other necessities help build up their resistance to the disease.

Several students are absent from school because of measles and chickenpox, the report continued. Two cases of mumps have also been reported.

At this point, Mrs. Adams stressed the need for strict observance of city and school health regulations regarding these diseases. Parents who have children included in the two-weeks pre-school session beginning April 9, are requested not to bring them if they are coughing or have any other symptoms of disease.

Follow-up testing of the vision of those students who have a history of any visual defects is being conducted in all schools, the health nurse said. In the usual statistical report attached to the health paper, Mrs. McAdams was represented as making 71 school visits, 114 home visits, 18 dressings, five health talks, 15 meetings attended, 12 children taken to doctor's office, six children fitted with glasses, four children excluded from school because of communicable disease, 12 children supplied with medicine, four children supplied with soap, and three children vaccinated against smallpox. The report was for the month of March.

Prominent Malakoff Merchant, Banker Is Buried There Monday

MALAKOFF, April 8.—Funeral services for Dan Gentry, 87, pioneer resident here, who died Sunday, were held from the Methodist church Monday afternoon. The IOOF Lodge had charge of the rites at the grave.

A retired merchant, Mr. Gentry at the time of his death was president of the Citizens State Bank. Surviving are his wife, two daughters, Mrs. Dan Royall and Mrs. Allene Riddesperger, both of Malakoff; two sisters, Mrs. Ross Knott, Kemp, and Mrs. John W. Easterwood, Athens; and three grandchildren.

Tenant Farmers Who Desire Buy Land To File After April 15

Tenant farmers of Navarro county who desire to purchase land may file their applications with DeWitt C. Cox, county supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, on and after April 15, according to a recent announcement. Mr. Cox pointed out no previously filed applications will be considered and those listed prior to this time must file new papers.

FORMER STATE HOME BOY SUPERINTENDENT OF BREMOND SCHOOLS

At a recent meeting of the school board of the Bremond independent school district Walter Baker was re-elected superintendent of schools. Mr. Baker was formerly a student in the State Home in Corsicana. Mr. Baker graduated from the State Home in 1929 and received his B.A. and M.A. degrees from Baylor University in 1933 after four years of college in which he participated in football, baseball, debate and other literary activities. After graduation he became coach at Moody, where he remained two years and then was elected as principal of the Rosebud high school Rosebud, where he remained until 1938.

In 1939 Mr. Baker was elected to fill the vacancy as superintendent of the Bremond public schools at the accidental death of Sam Z. Hall, who was killed in an automobile accident in Fort Worth. Last year the school board voted to give him a contract for three years and again last week the board of education voted to renew that contract for another three years.

During the two years Mr. Baker has been superintendent of the Bremond schools the school has made some marked progress in football, track, basketball, vocational agriculture and it also boasts of one of the best bands in this section of the state.

Mr. Baker is at present president of the Robertson County Teachers Association; delegate to the Central Texas Division of Teachers; delegate to the State convention; district steward of the Methodist church and is active in the local P.T.A. and Masonic Lodge.

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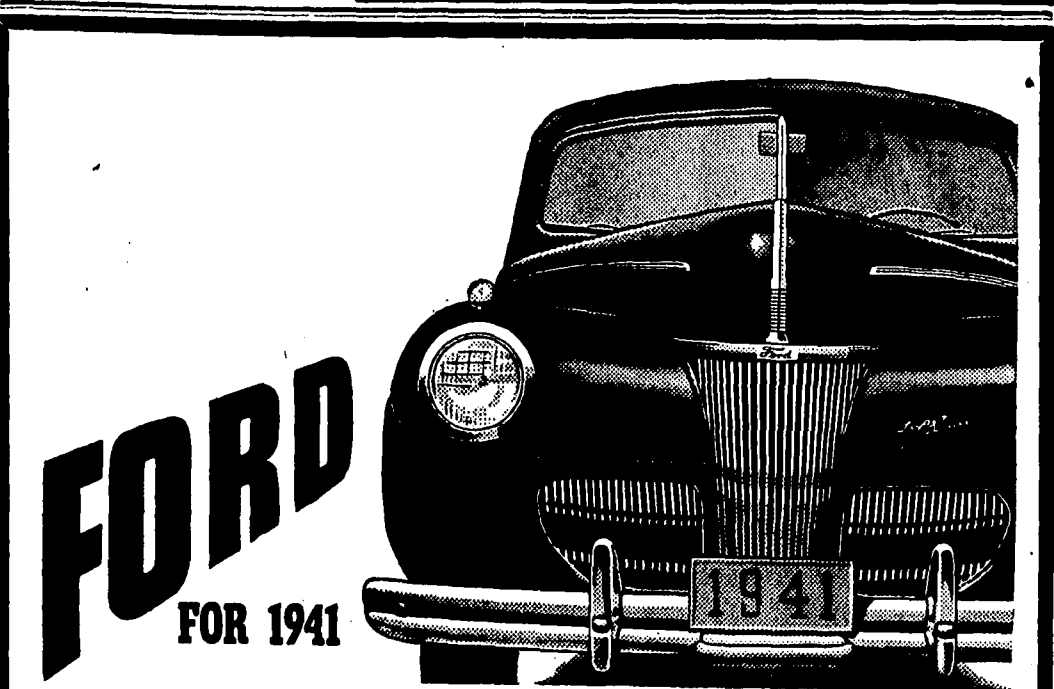
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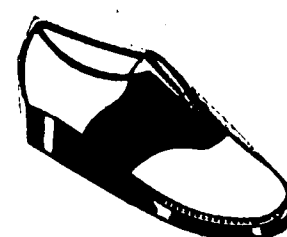
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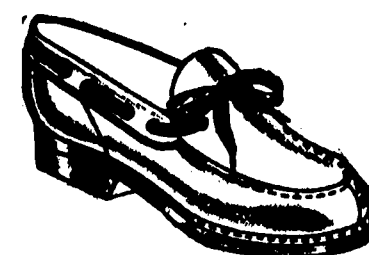
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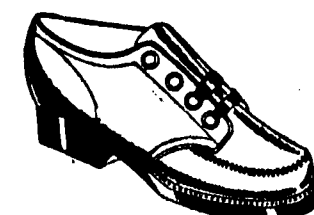
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NEW REGULATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF DEFENSE HOMES

WASHINGTON, April 10.—(AP)—President Roosevelt has designated 146 localities as "defense areas" where homes may be financed under new liberalized federal housing administration regulations which permit sale of homes with no down payment.

The new law provides that in the designated areas the FHA may insure mortgages up to 90 percent of the value in cases where the builder is the mortgagor. Heretofore, the owner-occupant was the only one who could be the mortgagor in such a case.

Under the new arrangement, officials said, a builder may put up 10 percent of the cost of dwelling, place the property under an FHA mortgage, and sell it without any down payment. He also may rent the property if he chooses.

Regulators will be limited to \$4,000 on a single-family home, \$5,000 on a two-family home, \$8,000 on one for three families and \$10,500 on one for four families. The new plan is designed to aid defense workers with yearly incomes of \$1,800 to \$3,000, officials said.

Among areas designated were: Texas: Beaumont-Port Arthur, Corpus Christi, Dallas-Grand Prairie, El Paso, Fort Worth, Galveston, Houston, San Antonio.

GREENLAND

(Continued From Page One.) Canada. It will be defended if attacked.

Transports Diverted To Troop Movement

WASHINGTON, April 10.—(AP)—The war department disclosed today that all army passenger and freight transports had been diverted to move troops and supplies between the United States and overseas possessions and bases.

Undersecretary Robert P. Patterson, announced at the same time that a complete censorship had been placed on all military information on all overseas bases. Twenty-six combination passenger-cargo ships and freighters which previously had been used for troop service have been shifted to the new assignment.

In addition, the war department has chartered ten freighters and new Atlantic regulars to use of the transport service vessels, Patterson told a press conference.

Our greater activity in Hawaii, the Philippines, the Canal zone and new Atlantic regulars to use of the transport service vessels, Patterson told a press conference.

WASHINGTON, April 10.—(AP)—Greenland, made a part today of the Western Hemisphere defense system, is one of the largest islands in the world, and one of the least populated.

The commerce department says 695,000 of the 850,000 square miles in the deceptively-named land are covered by ice and at last count the population numbered about 18,500—estimates and 400 Danes.

Cryolite, an important mineral in the manufacture of aluminum enamel ware, glass and pottery, is Greenland's chief resource, and is valuable in defense industries.

Easter Services At Camp Bowie Planned CAMP BOWIE, Tex., April 10.—(AP)—Final rehearsal for the Easter services here Sunday morning. The general public is invited to join thousands of soldiers at the ceremony.

Chaplain Dan A. Laning of the 133d Field Artillery will deliver the sermon.

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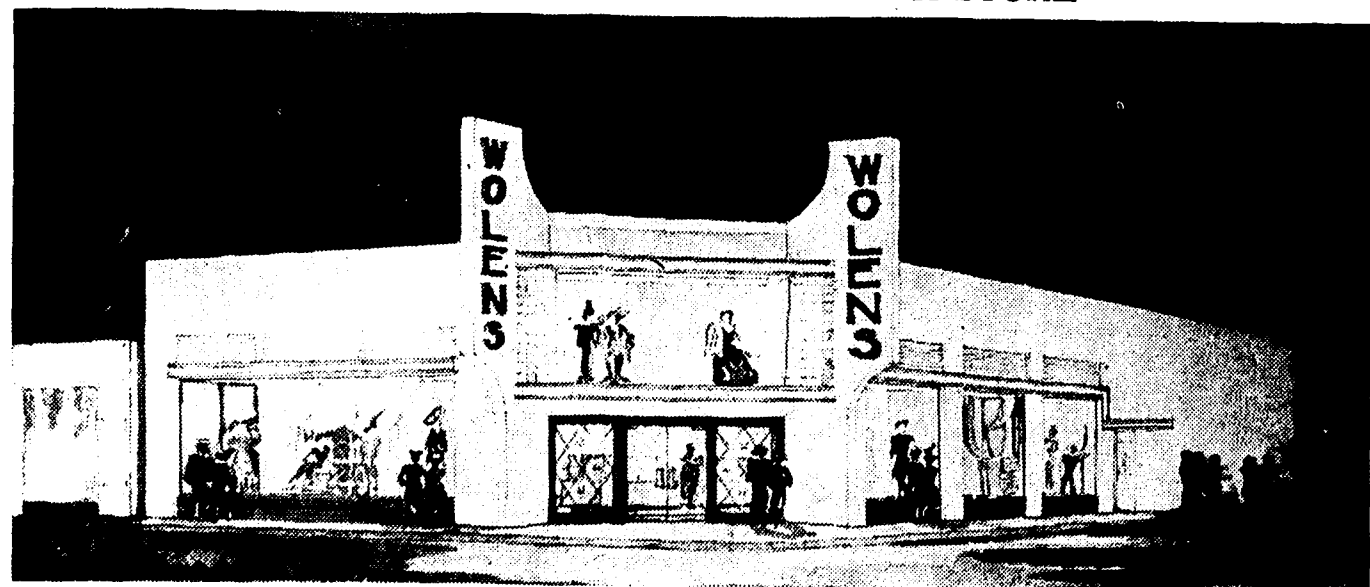
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POLITICAL

(Continued From Page One.) men mentioned in speculation. Names most frequently heard in talk regarding Senator Sheppard's post were:

Heard in Talk for Place. O'Daniel himself, Attorney General Gerald C. Mann, Lieutenant Governor Coke Stevenson, Carr P. Collins of Dallas, Congressman Martin Dies of Orange, Mrs. Sheppard, J. M. West of Houston, E. B. Germany of Dallas, State Senator Jesse Martin of Fort Worth, former governor Pat M. Neff, W. P. Hobby and Ross Sterling and various members of congress.

The governor could resign, be appointed to the vacancy and then run in the special election. Or he could make an honorary interim appointment and run himself. Also, he could name Mann to the U. S. Senate post and appoint Martin as Attorney General. The possibilities were almost unlimited and, as was pointed out, O'Daniel might remain aloof insofar as possible and run for a third term as governor.

The governor has shed no light on his position. A current report was that Congressman Dies, chairman of the committee investigating un-American activities, would run in the election regarding O'Daniel's temporary appointment. Through the investigation, Dies has received enormous publicity.

Activities Wednesday. In briefs before adjournment yesterday, both legislative branches adopted a free conference committee report on a bill allocating \$9,200 to water conservation, reclamation and river flood control districts as follows:

Nueces \$12,000; Guadalupe-Blanco \$15,000; upper Colorado \$3,800; lower Colorado \$8,000; Rio Grande \$6,000; upper Rio Grande \$10,000; upper Guadalupe \$3,600; Red \$5,000; Sabine-Neches \$8,000.

The house approved a proposed constitutional amendment authorizing construction of a \$2,000,000 state office building to house governmental departments now occupying rented office space outside the capital.

The senate finance committee wiped its slate clear of all but one major appropriation bill, reporting the measure with a \$2,285,285 for governmental operation the next biennium.

A bill permitting the board of directors of the Texas College of Arts and Industries at Kingsville to pay one of its members \$50 a month to serve as secretary-treasurer was sent the governor by the house.

A proposal by Rep. Padgett of San Antonio, valuing interest and penalties on state property taxes delinquent before July 2, 1940, was debated but not acted upon by the senate.

State Committees Named. AUSTIN, April 10.—(AP)—The House of Representatives today named a committee of five members to attend the funeral of Senator Morris Sheppard in Texas-arkana Saturday.

The representatives named were Newton W. McCain, Jasper Reed of Texas-arkana, Dorsey H. Hardeman of San Angelo, J. K.

O'DANIEL

(Continued From Page One.) by reason of his statesmanship, ability, courage and mastery of oratory and debate has become a national figure.

Asserting he favored the resolution, but thought it reminded of "the tactics of Senator Joe Hill" and was "premature," Rep. Dennis Favors of Pampa moved to lay the resolution on the table subject to call, but the motion was not acted upon.

Favors Apologizes. A suggestion by Rep. Jack E. Love of Fort Worth that the section relating to strikes be eliminated, on grounds the House should not try to influence the votes or policies of a United States Senator, also was lost in quick moves for adoption.

Representative Halsey asked Favors to apologize for the "comparison with the gentleman across the hall," which Favors did.

Senator Hill, in the last session, was an outspoken critic of the governor, and in this session has accused him of violating the Constitution in not promptly submitting to the Senate certain appointments.

Blankenship cut short the flurry of exchanges among Halsey, Love, Favors and others, by ordering a vote.

Most representatives got to their feet, but some remained seated. "The resolution is adopted unanimously," Blankenship announced, banging his gavel.

A roar of protest came from the floor, and Love, rushing to the microphone of the public address system, object: it was not unanimous.

Blankenship then instructed the Journal clerk to make the record show the resolution was "adopted."

Suggests Naming of Garner. KANSAS CITY, Kas., April 10.—(AP)—Rep. U. S. Guyer (R-Kas.) suggested to Governor O'Daniel of Texas today that he name former Vice President J. N. Garner to the United States Senate to succeed the late Sen. Morris Sheppard.

Where you have the appointive power you can do your country a great service," said the veteran Kansas congressman in a telegram to the Texas executive.

Representative Guyer also dispatched this message to Garner at Uvalde, Tex., with a copy to Governor O'Daniel:

"Come back to the senate where you can perform your greatest service to your country. Regardless of party your country has implicit confidence in our patriotism and transcendent ability which is sorely needed at this moment."

Approached on the idea, Al Buchanan, prominent Southwest Texas oil operator, termed it "great."

Women Be Recruited. LONDON, April 10.—(AP)—Women will be recruited into the British army and will have military status under the same conditions as men in the armed forces, War Minister Captain H. D. R. Burgess and Air Undersecretary Captain H. H. Balfour told the House of Commons today.

Their announcement said women in the auxiliary transport service and the women's auxiliary force would be granted status as members of the armed forces of the crown and greatly increased in numbers by acceptance of volunteers.

It was not expected that the women will fire guns, but instead will do such work as checking light settings and ranges, and staffing searchlight stations.

Occupied France Raided. DOVER, England, April 10.—(AP)—A large number of British planes apparently raided Nazi-occupied France today.

Observers on the coast saw many planes returning from the direction of France and saw smoke and flames rising in the region of Cap Gris Nez.

Tour Plans (Continued From Page One.) use practices, orchards, homes purchased through the Farm Security Administration, and other features will be marked by a number which will correspond to a tour log.

A committee composed of Clyde Kimes, T. K. Morris and Roy Cloud from the agricultural council aided with the arrangements. A special section of the tour has been arranged for those who will attend the President's luncheon which will be held at the main exhibit building at the Corsicana fair grounds.

Sick and Convalescent. Dr. Leslie Kelton was removed to his home from the F. and S. Hospital Thursday morning.

DEFENSE

(Continued From Page One.) Marshall Files to Abilene. FORT SILL, Okla., April 10.—(AP)—General George C. Marshall, chief of staff of the United States army, left here by airplane today for Abilene, Texas, after an 18-hour visit at Fort Sill.

He was expected to reach Abilene about 11 a. m. visit the 43rd Division at Camp Barkeley briefly, go to Brownwood, and spend the night at Fort Sam Houston. Before leaving, General Marshall turned the death of Senator Morris Sheppard of Texas "a great loss to the nation."

Marshall said he was "pleased and impressed" by the training program at Fort Sill. Early today he saw the entire 18th Field Artillery Regiment work out a firing problem.

He said he expected to be back in Washington Sunday after visiting Camp Beaugard, La., and Camp Shelby, Miss.

Strength of Army. WASHINGTON, April 10.—(AP)—The war department announced today the land forces had reached an estimated strength of 1,185,600 officers and enlisted men today—just 232,400 short of its June goal.

The announcement said the combined strength of the army was made up as follows: Regular army, officers and men, 487,000; National Guard, 288,000; reserve 38,000, and selective service trainees 347,000.

Shortage of Seamen. WASHINGTON, April 10.—(AP)—The marine inspection bureau disclosed today "in present or prospective shortage of seamen" and asked that selective service officials take the situation into account in drafting young seamen into the army.

An acute scarcity of seamen already has developed at Boston, the statement said. Only two ports, Mobile, Ala., and Galveston, Texas, said they had enough men for both present and prospective needs.

New Assistant Secretaries. WASHINGTON, April 10.—(AP)—President Roosevelt nominated two new assistant secretaries of war today, one designated to serve "for air."

The posts went to two New Yorkers—Robert A. Lovett and John J. McCloy. Lovett would be the assistant secretary for air. Both men have been serving as special assistant to Secretary Stimson.

SABOTAGE (Continued From Page One.) meet the requirements of the peacetime defense program. The national "power pool," he said has an available capacity of more than 40,000,000 kilowatts, with an additional 7,000,000-kilowatt capacity under contract for new plants.

Facilities vulnerable to war-time sabotage, he said, would include unattended substations, transmission lines, main distribution systems and underground systems that can not be protected as effectively without prohibitive costs as fenced, guarded main power stations and large substations.

"Despite the difficult position which thereby was created for our troops in Eastern Macedonia, their resistance was unslackened and they maintained their lines, according to information received during the afternoon," a Greek communiqué said.

"The possibility of a Yugoslav retreat as well as the cutting off of Greek forces in Macedonia and Thrace had been foreseen by the Greek command," the Athens radio declared. "The decisive battle will be given where strategic conditions demand it. The war goes on and will go on."

The Athens radio took the view that the loss of Salonika "without fighting, as a result of the retreat of the Serbian army, does not constitute defeat for our soldiers."

"The heroic defenders of Greek soil will continue the epic struggle and face both invaders effectively," it said.

Steel Shipments High. NEW YORK, April 10.—(AP)—Shipments of finished products by subsidiaries of U. S. Steel Corp., in March were the highest in the company's history at 1,120,366 tons. This compared with February shipments of 1,548,451 tons and 931,905 tons in March, 1940.

Possibility Poison

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FEEBLE RALLIES IN STOCK MARKET FAIL MAKE MUCH HEADWAY

NEW YORK, April 10.—(AP)—Selling waned in today's stock market as an attempt was made to get the list back on its feet but such rallies as appeared were feeble at the best.

There was a fall of 1.8 points in the Associated Press average of 80 stocks in the four preceding sessions. In line with that some thought that at least a technical right-about was a possibility.

Dealings were negligible throughout, with transfers for the full proceedings around 350,000 shares. Among better performers most of the day were U. S. Steel, General Motors, Santa Fe, N. Y. Central, Great Northern, Western Union, U. S. Rubber, Sears Roebuck, Woolworth, Glenn Martin, Westinghouse, Continental Baking, A. A. Cananda, Kennecott, Corro De Usaco and Air Reduction.

In the falling division were Bethlehem Steel, Douglas Aircraft, Youngstown Sheet, Eastman Kodak, Philip Morris, Consolidated Edison, Chrysler and American Smelting.

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Some Laughs In Legislature

AUSTIN, April 10.—(AP)—Lieut. Gov. Coke Stevenson was in a jovial mood to start the new legislative week. When a quorum was lacking for the morning session, he commented, dryly: "Seems like we haven't got openers."

A little later, when Sen. Weaver Moore of Houston introduced a bill affecting commitment of juvenile delinquents, Stevenson referred to him as the "newly-found guardian of the public welfare."

"You're safe," retorted Moore. "This bill doesn't apply to persons over 50."

A group of reporters watched Governor W. Lee O'Daniel open his signature to the anti-violence bill which was sped through the legislature on the governor's recommendation.

Son Pat O'Daniel sat in a nearby chair. "Can you really enforce it?" he asked his dad.

Correspondents who see the governor's desk infrequently because he holds no press conferences noted the simplicity of its appointments. On the desk were a telephone, a pen and holder, an appointment book and a framed picture of Mrs. O'Daniel. They are all dwarfed on the oversize desk the governor uses.

Colleagues admit Senator A. M. Aiken, Jr., of Paris, chairman of the important senate finance committee, puts in the longest working day of any upper chamber member.

Since the session began Jan. 14 he's missed working only four nights. The finance chairman handles a greater volume of work than other committeemen for it is his group that frames the big appropriation bills which are worked up item by item over a long period of time.

He's farmed out to subcommittee but the chairman works with all of the subgroups.

Jimmy Phillips, youthful representative from Angleton, has had a hard time since the legislature session, has first, opened in January.

His pet peeve has been a bill to tax milled rice, but besides arguments against this measure he has seldom taken the floor to enter debate on other controversial issues.

Recently, however, Jimmy amused his colleagues when his tongue slipped during heated discussion of proposed road bond assumption legislation.

No less than three times during his speech, Jimmy referred to road bonds as "rice bonds."

"I'm sorry," Jimmy apologized as his fellow members chuckled. "I've had my rice farmers on my mind so much, I guess I can't think of anything else."

Fourth Victim Of Truck Crash Dies SAN ANTONIO, April 10.—(AP)—A head-on collision of two trucks near Pleasanton early yesterday which took the lives of three men took its fourth victim today with the death of Emenojildo Hernandez of Cameron county, who died in a local hospital today.

Other fatalities in the accident were identified by highway patrolmen at George Oliver Carson, 23, Wichita, Kans.; Alfredo Lugo, 45, and Manuel Lugo, 25, both of Rio Hondo, Texas.

MORE WAGE HIKES IN HOUSTON AREA REPORTED THURSDAY

HOUSTON, April 10.—(AP)—In keeping with the trend toward higher wages in many industries in the Texas gulf coast area, the Texas company is making an upward wage adjustment for many of its employees. It was announced today.

Such an adjustment has been made at the Galena Park Refinery, effective retroactively to April 1. It was understood the increase at Galena Park was five cents an hour for hourly paid employees and that increases for those paid by the month will be handled individually. There are approximately 200 hourly paid employees at the plant.

Similar wage adjustments have been just completed for 95 per cent of Humble Oil and Refining Company and Humble Pipe Line Company's nearly 13,000 employees and for some 10,000 Magnolia Petroleum Company employees.

Lifelong Resident Tarrant County Dead FORT WORTH, April 10.—(AP)—Casswell Overton Edwards, 90, lifelong resident of Tarrant County, ranch owner and a good cowboy as ever roped a longhorn steer, died this morning at his residence here.

Mr. Edwards had been confined to his home since 1938, when he suffered a partial stroke of paralysis that affected his limbs and caused the loss of sight in one eye. A second stroke Sunday night left him unconscious until death at 3:30 a. m. Thursday.

Funeral services will be conducted at the family residence here Friday at 10:30 a. m.

Faster Braniff Schedules. OKLAHOMA CITY, April 10.—(AP)—Braniff Airways said today it was starting a new Texas-Oklahoma flight and faster summer schedules effective April 27.

The new service will bring to four the number of round trips daily between Oklahoma City and Dallas.

The faster schedule will make cuts in flying times between every city on the company's Chicago-through-Texas route.

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SMALL TRUCKER WILL BE HARD HIT HIGHER LOAD LIMIT ALLOWED

REGISTRATION FEES PROHIBITIVE FOR LITTLE FELLOW IT IS INDICATED

Unless radical changes are affected in present truck registration regulations there is a distinct possibility the little truck operator will be forced out of business. This is the belief of various officials about the courthouse following a checking into the new load limits, and overloading penalties.

It seems that the 33,000 pound load-limit may be a decided disadvantage to the little operator unless the Texas Legislature passes additional regulations and relief.

Fees Are High.
Under the present set-up of fees for registration, \$4 per 100 pounds is the law, it was revealed at the office of the assessor and collector of taxes, which would make the registration of a 33,000-pound truck amount to \$1,320, a prohibitive figure for the average small operator.

Another thing that will probably work against the truck operators is the changes in the penalty for overloading. It was stated that the first offense was \$25 and costs (\$38.15 minimum) with \$50 and costs provided for a second offense and after the second conviction, jail sentences are imposed. (Under the old law, overloads were allowed \$1 and costs fines amounting to \$14.15 minimum.)

Are Hard Hit.
It appears, from the information available here, the small truck operators who do the load-limit raised to get away from the overloading arrests and fines under the 7,000-pound limit have made their lot considerably worse than under the old regulations.

Discussions about the courthouse indicated that the big lines will continue with the little fellows squeezed out unless there are changes. Halley Blake, assessor and collector, stated Wednesday that she had received no intimation of what procedure is planned by the lawmakers to remedy the present situation, if any. Truck registrations last month were extended until April 15 to allow time to iron out and pass regulatory measures on this condition. Miss Blake said she had no information of the subject from state authorities, but voiced the opinion it would likely be several months before it was cleared.

Sister of Winkler Man Dies in Dallas

DALLAS, April 9.—Mrs. Susie Wentz, aged 73 years, died Tuesday. She was a native of South Carolina and had resided here nine years.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock with burial in Restland Memorial Park.

Surviving are two sons, William L. Bell and Chalmers Bell, Dallas; a brother, Johnnie McDowell, Winkler, and two sisters, Mrs. Sallie Green, De Leon, and Mrs. E. K. Cherry, Sterling City.

Sun Want Ads Bring Results.

Congress Dean Dies



United States Senator Morris Sheppard (above) of Texas died in the Walter Reed Hospital in Washington early Wednesday following a short illness, due, his physicians stated, to overwork. Senator Sheppard, whose home was in Texarkana, was dean of Congress in point of service, having served a little more than 38 years. He was author of the prohibition amendment and its champion through the years.

Woman's Society Christian Service Of Emhouse Meets

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of Emhouse met in the home of Mrs. J. W. Kuykendall on March 17th. Members present were Mrs. Nick Parrish, president; Mrs. R. E. Huling, Mrs. J. M. Manning, Mrs. R. B. Harris, Mrs. Billie Burton, Mrs. Haskel Gray, Mrs. Ida Harris, Mrs. Ben Gipson, Mrs. O. E. Hoffman, Mrs. Sam Collins, Mrs. Nell Collins, Mrs. Jessie Wilcox, Mrs. Ira Stokes, Mrs. Curtis Wilcox of Corsicana, and two visitors, Mrs. Tallant of Emhouse, and Mrs. Jones of Dallas.

The subject for the day's lesson was "Sharing for the Health of the World." Mrs. Manning was the leader. The meeting opened with the song "I Love to Tell the Story." Mrs. Kuykendall lead in prayer. Mrs. R. B. Harris gave the scripture reading, Matthew 5, verses 14, 15 and 16; Mrs. Haskel Gray read

TENTATIVE CONTRACT FOOD STAMP PLAN IS SIGNED COUNTY JUDGE

OFFICIALS EXPECTED BE IN COUNTY SOON CONDUCT EDUCATIONAL CAMPAIGN

A tentative contract was signed by E. D. McCormick, county judge, in Dallas Tuesday afternoon whereby the food stamp plan is to be inaugurated in Navarro County, it was announced Wednesday morning.

Judge McCormick was accompanied to Dallas by Commissioners C. M. Fitzgerald of Rice and Drev Gillen of Blooming Grove.

The regular contract is to be signed later, Judge McCormick pointed out after the tentative contract and bankers' resolution has been sent to the Washington authorities. It is expected that within ten days a crew from the governmental agency will arrive in Navarro County to conduct an educational campaign with meetings at food dealers, bankers, and in the towns and communities in this area to explain all of the workings and regulations of the plan.

The crew from the food stamp plan division of the government will be in Navarro County about thirty days Judge McCormick continued, and will set up the working plan here.

In discussing the revolving fund of \$7,500 which is a requisite for the purchasing of the stamps, but is not spent, Judge McCormick said it was planned to have the various towns and communities contribute a portion of the amount so that county funds would not be tied up.

At a recent meeting of the Navarro County Grocers Association, it was voted to pay \$150 per month toward the cost of the plan personally.

The message, Mrs. Homer Price gave a talk on Africa and China with Mrs. Hoffman following with a talk on India and Korea. Mrs. Parrish gave her message out of the World Outlook. All members sang "Higher Ground" with Mrs. Sam Collins at the piano. The meeting closed with The Lord's Prayer.

As it was St. Patrick's Day, Mrs. Kuykendall's home was attractively decorated carrying out the color scheme for St. Patrick's Day. Each member was met at the door as she arrived by Mrs. Gray who pinned on a green bow of ribbon, representing Shamrock. Each member paid five cents for a slice of the membership cake. Mrs. Jones found the dime in her slice of cake. As she was a visitor she appointed Mrs. Nell Collins to bake the next cake. Refreshments were served consisting of angel food cake and hot green lemonade. The St. Patrick's Day centerpiece, napkins and green and white miniature used. An inspection was made of Mrs. Kuykendall's newly decorated and furnished home which was very lovely.

All expressed themselves as having a very delightful afternoon.—Reporter.

Married Here Last Night.
K. C. Hodges and Melba Norton, both of Groesbeck, were married at the home of Judge Pat Geraughty Tuesday night. Judge Geraughty performed the ceremony.

News of County Home Demonstration Clubs

Oak Valley Club
The Home Demonstration Club of the Oak Valley community will meet at Mrs. E. E. Stover's residence at Zion's Rest instead of Mrs. Jim McManus' home at the regular hour Thursday, it was announced today.

Independence Club.
Candlewick or tufted bed spreads are Colonial and have been handed down from generation to generation, Miss Clara E. Rettiger told the Independence home demonstration club women in the home of Mrs. Lonnie Strand and mother, Mrs. W. H. Kyser, Monday, April 7.

Rettiger demonstrated the making of candle wick and tufted bed spreads and other articles, she continued by saying "corresponding covers, dress scarfs, robes, many other things can be made. All over designs and soft colors are best, 90x108 is a good practical size for a bed spread. In using unbleached materials for dyeing finish well before dyeing. Make 1-8 to 2-12 inch seams. Unbleached articles two or three soft colors may be sparingly designed among tufting when washed soak three or four hours in lukewarm water then wash with a good mild laundry soap. Gently rubbing with the hands or on washboard. Rinse well but do not wring but press out the water and hang lengthwise straight, right side up on line in sun, brush with wisk broom and with willow switch till dry to fluff.

To enter tufted bed spreads for exhibit, or scored according to six features (1) material and thread; (2) minimum size, (3) designing; (4) workmanship; (5) laundering and hemming.

In sewing for the Red Cross, Mrs. C. R. Aurbach and Jerald Simmons were appointed co-hostesses for our club, and try and arrange to get knitters and sewers to be done in our community. Mrs. Strange the hostess assisted by Miss Eunice Strange served cake and hot chocolate to seven members. Miss Rettiger and two new members, Mrs. E. E. Reynolds and Miss Strange. Next meeting will be with Mrs. W. C. Reed, Monday, April 21.—Reporter.

Tea and Shower For Wortham Bride Was Most Lovely Affair

WORTHAM, April 10.—(Spl.)—Elaborate in its appointments was the lovely tea and shower complementing Mrs. Jack Stubbs, bride of the week, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Johnson, with the calling hours from three to five, when more than one hundred guests called. Hostesses joining Mrs. Johnson for the honoring of the bride were Mesdames B. A. Strange, Mrs. C. Meador, John Tucker and Omar Lee. Effective decorations of purple and white iris and bridal spray adorned the entire reception suite. The tea table was laid in lace cloth centered with an exquisite flower arrangement of purple and white iris in a shallow container that rested on a mirror plaque, while either end held the long white tapers in crystal candleholders. Attractive was the coffee service and other table appointments.

First greetings were extended by Mesdames Maurice Johnson, Chas. Carter, Jack Stubbs, the honoree, George Ramsey, James McKinney, Misses Jauelle Barham, Juanita Ramsey, Dorothy Calame, Caroline Turner. Seated at the foot of the reception line were the grandmothers of the bride and bridegroom, Mrs. G. W. Ross of Wortham and Mrs. C. Ross of Tehuacana.

Miss Reba Adams and Miss Aurelia Jane Morrow, presided over the bride's book. Mrs. Tom Polindexter, Jr., and Miss Madeline Goolsby had charge of the display of the beautiful and useful gifts. Those dispensing hospitality in the dining room were Mesdames Tom Polindexter, Oliver Burleson, Omar Lee, Clifton Magness and Wade Colom.

During the evening the following program was enjoyed: Mrs. Morris LaFevre, voice numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Dick Wimberly; readings by Sandra Jean Lee and Mrs. Watt Henderson; Mrs. Chick Wimberly voice numbers, accompanied by Mrs. John Munroe; Miss Grace Hooten, Margaret Elizabeth Strange, and Miss Aurelia Jane Morrow, delighted all with their piano numbers.

Personal Mention Of Kerens Folk

KERENS, April 9.—(Spl.)—Mrs. S. J. Jennings, Fred Jennings, Mrs. Kate Hilliard, Mrs. Claude Sherrill and Miss Bernice Sherrill spent Monday in Dallas.

Paul Seale and Andrew McClung spent Sunday in Marlin, with Ford Seale of Denison, who is a patient in the Torbett Hospital and Clinic.

Mrs. J. E. Coates and daughter, Diane, spent the week end in Fort Arthur.

Mayor and Mrs. G. M. Chapman spent Monday in Dallas with their daughter, Mrs. Charles Cullum.

Mrs. Mid Westbrook and Mrs. Henry Ross of Bryan were guests of Kerens friends during the week end.

Mrs. Howell Brister and Mrs. Andrew McClung spent Saturday in Marlin.

Mrs. James E. Taylor and daughter, Shirley, of Austin spent last week end in Kerens with their father and grandfather, Z. N. Foster.

Mrs. H. W. Hoffer and children, Henry III and Mary Frances, have returned from a several days stay with relatives in Kaufman.

Charles Knox and David Sherrill, Miss Dorothy Sherrill and Mrs. L. T. Tighe of Dallas were in Kerens the first of the week.

E. E. Williamson, who became seriously ill while on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. E. E. Williamson, of San Angelo, is now back at home and reported much improved.

Attending Dairying Meeting. R. W. Knight, manager, and Olin Swift, field dairyman for the Corsicana Chamber of Commerce, were in Fort Worth Wednesday attending the 1941 annual convention of the Texas Dairy Product Association.

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REGISTRATION FEES BILL FOR TRUCKS IS PASSED THURSDAY

SENATE PASSED DELINQUENT TAX BILL BUT CHANGES HOUSE MEASURE

AUSTIN, April 10.—(P)—House and Senate today overwhelmingly approved a conference committee report on a bill revising registration fees for trucks to harmonize with the new 38,000-pound gross truck weight law.

Preparations were made to speed the measure to the governor so it would become effective immediately on signing because more than two-thirds of members in either chamber approved it.

The Legislature recently extended the deadline for truck registration through April 15 in anticipation of revised fees which sponsors said would increase revenue by about \$500,000 annually.

The Senate approved, with amendments, a House bill releasing penalty and interest on delinquent state property taxes.

As approved in the upper chamber it would waive penalty, but not

interest on levies delinquent on or before July 1, 1940.

Representative Pat Dwyer of San Antonio, the author, said he would ask the House, to reject the Senate amendment.

O'Daniel Resolution.
Meanwhile, the House adopted a resolution asking Governor W. Lee O'Daniel to resign and accept appointment to the vacancy in the U. S. Senate created by the death of Morris Sheppard.

Both Houses appointed committees to attend Sheppard's funeral in Texarkana Saturday.

"If you want to have tax equity you ought to reduce ad valorem taxes," commented Senator George Moffett of Chillicothe, who offered an amendment setting the date for waiving delinquent tax penalties at July 1, 1937.

"Ad valorem taxpayers now contribute 60 per cent of the state taxes," he added.

Offered Amendment.
It was Senator Grady Hazelwood of Abilene who offered the amendment striking the word "interest" out of the bill.

"We are losing sight of the great majority of the taxpayers," Hazelwood's amendment. "The man who pays his taxes is penalized by this legislation."

Registration fees on small trucks would be set at 30 cents per 100 pounds by the conference committee report, whereas the bill as passed by the Senate called for 40 cents.

The fee on large trailers was raised from 60 to 65 cents a hundred pounds. About half a million

The Legislature Today

By the Associated Press.

AUSTIN, April 10.—(P)—A summary of activity in the legislature today:

House—Adopted resolution requesting Governor W. Lee O'Daniel to resign and accept appointment as U. S. senator in succession to late Morris Sheppard; approved, as did Senate, conference committee report on bill revising truck registration fees.

Senate—Finally passed, with amendment, a house bill remitting penalties on property taxes delinquent on or before July 1, 1940; confirmed nomination of Reuben Williams as highway commissioner and rejected nomination of Edwin Lacy of Longview, public safety commissioner, and W. O. Yarbrough of Corpus Christi, game commissioner.

Eden and Dill Return.
LONDON, April 10.—(P)—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden and General Sir John G. Dill, chief of the British Imperial general staff, have returned to England. It was learned today.

Dollars would be raised by the fees set in the report, Metcalf estimated.

The Senate finally passed a bill by Senator Weaver Moore giving judges authority to parol juveniles delinquents to private homes.

INVITE EAST TEXAS COMMISSIONERS AND JUDGES MEET HERE

An invitation to the East Texas County Judges and Commissioners Association to hold its 1942 convention in Corsicana will be extended Friday by E. D. McCormick, Navarro County judge, it was revealed Thursday afternoon.

The 1941 convention is being held in Tyler this week end.

CARD OF THANKS.
We take this means of thanking each and every one of you for your kind words and deeds and for the unforgettable consolation. You have been called upon to bear during the sickness and death of our dear boy, V. E. (Buckshot) Adkins.

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Toilet Soap, 2 bars 5c

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WHITE LAUNDRY SOAP 10 Bars 15c

WELL-KNOWN BRAND STARCH 2 Lb. Bag 9c

Syrup Pure Cane, Price As Low As— Gallon Size 29c

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PRESS ASSOCIATION TO HEAR TALKS ON DEFENSE PROGRAM

SAN ANTONIO, April 10.—(P)—Problems created by the national defense program and those pertaining to the publishing business will hold the attention of newspapermen of the South Texas Press Association at their annual convention here Friday and Saturday, April 25 and 26. It was learned today.

Col. James A. Mars, retired army officer, will speak on "Newspapers and National Defense" at the opening session. Raymond Roy, Dallas, will outline advertising prospects in Texas and Sam P. Hardin, secretary of the Association, will talk on valuation and insurance.

Representative Homer Leonard, speaker of the Texas House of Representatives, will be the principal speaker at the annual banquet Friday evening.

On Saturday a round table discussion on photography will be led by Art Kovert of Fredericksburg.

The program was planned and arranged by R. H. Pilgreen of Uvalde.

L. K. McDaniel of Seguin is president of the association.

Contest judges for the South Texas Chamber of Commerce cup offered to the South Texas paper with the best record of community service and for other contests were announced.

Paul J. Thompson of the University of Texas, Mrs. Dorothea Schlegel, Mrs. Hardin-Baylor College, and J. Willard Ridings, Texas Christian University.

MACKENZIE

(Continued From Page One.) that I wish to direct attention, especially since I have had numerous requests to explain the British Libyan retreat which has permitted an Anglo-German force to occupy many of the fascist posts so recently conquered by General Wavell in his sensational campaign against Italian Marshal Graziani.

When Wavell early in February took Benghazi—last fascist stronghold in Libya save Tripoli—he had killed and captured so many of Graziani's men, and seized so much war material, as to render the greater part of the impotent. There wasn't a wallow left in the Italian outfit, and the menace against Egypt and the Suez Canal had been removed for the time being.

Wavell found himself in the enviable position of (1) being able to go ahead and capture Tripoli, (2) employing his troops in the conquest of the rest of Italy's African possessions, or (3) sending his army to assist force to help the Greeks. Actually the cream of his army was sent to the Balkans.

In taking this action the British stripped the defending forces along the Libyan coast down to skeleton garrisons. Wavell did this deliberately, with full knowledge that the axis might take advantage of the position to try for a comeback.

Had he wanted to, he could have kept his troops in Libya and held the posts until the sands of the desert froze over. However, he felt that there wasn't any great menace from the axis at the time—and those troops were needed badly elsewhere.

Actually, as Premier Churchill explained yesterday, the Nazis managed to smuggle a large force of armored troops and planes through the British blockade to Tripoli, even before Wavell had captured Benghazi. Now they have struck in greater strength than the British expected so soon, and we see an axis force of some 20,000 back-tracking and recouping posts and cities with little or no opposition.

The only British reply has been that they are concentrating troops and will deal with the enemy when the time and place looks good. This odd desert strategy isn't new. The Britons employed it against Graziani, allowing him to advance clear to Sidi Barrani in Egypt while they made their base 85 miles farther east at Matruh, head of the railway to Alexandria.

The idea of this was to let the Italians over-extend their lines of communication so that the inhospitable desert would fight for the defenders. Precisely the same scheme was worked in the World War when the Turks and Germans attacked Egypt from the west. In both instances the British struck from Matruh and smashed the enemy.

Lost Something? Try a Daily Sun Want Ad.

NEWS

HOT WATER

Italy has been making last-minute attempts to curb further Nazi aggression in the Balkans.—Seems I Duce feels the Axis is in enough hot water already!

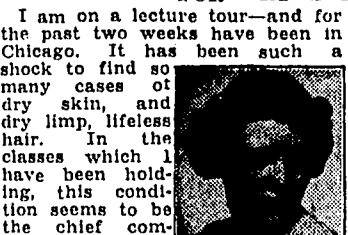
Don't wait until the last minute to do something about a Springtime cold. See your doctor immediately! It's the only sure way to curb further complications.

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DELIVERY.

HEALTH, BEAUTY AND POISE

HOW TO IMPROVE YOUR PERSONALITY
By VERONICA DENGEL

FOR DRY SKIN SUFFERERS.



I am on a lecture tour—and for the past two weeks have been in Chicago. It has been such a shock to find so many cases of dry skin, and dry lips, lifeless hair. In the classes which I have been holding, this condition seems to be the chief complaint.

And, really, it can be. Veronica Dengel avoided—even when the water is so hard and full of chlorine as it is in Chicago. I called the hair—Chicago hair—and I'm afraid some loyal people resented such a disparaging reference to their fair city—nevertheless, the water is largely to blame!

All right—then, what to do? The water for washing the hair will have to be boiled and then used—or, if preferred, distilled water can be obtained and used as the last rinse—the boiled water for the warmer temperature needed for the shampooing. Hot oil treatments make at home (described in my booklet, "How to Have Beautiful Hair," is all yours for the asking, and an enclosure of a three cent stamped, self-addressed envelope—brushing, to be given to the hairdresser in the scalp and sunshine, were the other recommendations I made.

And for the dry skin—again for washing with soap, the boiled water, and a rich, lubricating cream. However, in many cases

which I saw, I suggested no soap and water cleansing at all until the dry skin had been corrected. Cleansing with a nice cleansing cream, then patting with a prepared skin tonic (which contains a good amount of distilled water), then lubricating with a rich emollient, is the routine. Actually you can get your face cleaner this way than you can with careless soap and water washing. Wipe off the cleansing cream with tissue; then with a cotton pad wrung out of the tonic, wipe over the face and neck—always in an upward direction for every step in skin care. Then turn the head, add a little more tonic, and pat briskly all over for two minutes. Slip, slip, slip, to wake up the skin, and bring the blood to the surface.

And the eating habits of dry skin sufferers should be checked. Lack of Vitamin G will cause dry skin. Vitamin B of which is a part is also necessary. The vitamin, if necessary, the B-fam, whole grains and yeast are excellent sources of this all-important vitamin. (Vitamin B is a complex vitamin) of vitamins can be obtained in tablet form and used as an accessory food. Your doctor will tell you the brand he prefers. Remember, a dry skin is one that will wrinkle easily—so guard against it.

All requests for personal "Health and Beauty" information desired by Veronica Dengel's column followers must be accompanied by a fully self-addressed stamped envelope (2 x 4). Address: Veronica Dengel in care of this newspaper.

JAMES ROOSEVELT TO WED NURSE ON TUESDAY NEXT WEEK

LOS ANGELES, April 10.—(P)—James Roosevelt, eldest son of the President, and Romelle Schneider who nursed him through an illness in 1938, applied today for a license to wed. He gave his age as 33. Miss Schneider said she was 25.

LOS ANGELES, April 10.—(P)—The Examiner says James Roosevelt and Romelle Schneider will be married here Tuesday.

The paper quoted the President's son:

"We plan to have a quiet home wedding with mother present. Nothing will change that date unless something delays mother's arrival."

"I have learned I am to remain at San Diego, so we decided to marry as soon as possible."

Roosevelt is a captain at the U. S. Marine base at San Diego and there recently had been speculation that he might be transferred.

The Examiner reported that:

Roosevelt will apply today for a marriage license, fly to Mexico City tomorrow with a film party and return Monday.

Asked if Miss Schneider, who nursed him after an emergency stomach operation in 1938, would make the Mexican flight, he replied:

"Oh, she's much too busy and excited for that."

Roosevelt's recent trip to Washington was to get the President's approval of his marriage.

The couple plans to spend their honeymoon at San Diego and probably will make their home in that city, at least until the President's son is discharged from the marine.

Damage of \$750 Reported As Result Couple of Fires

Damage estimated in excess of \$750 resulted from two fires of undetermined origin Wednesday night and Thursday morning. The first alarm was received about 7:30 Wednesday night from 204 South Second street where damage estimated at \$350 was done to the residence of Minnie Robertson, nee Ross.

Loss estimated at \$400 to \$500 was suffered by Pete Raspberry, negro, when a large barn containing house moving equipment and other machinery was destroyed about 9 o'clock Thursday morning. A cow was also seriously burned.

Jaycees Enjoyed Fox Hunt-Barbecue Wednesday Night

Approximately 75 members of the Corsicana Junior Chamber of Commerce and their guests were on hand for the organization's first fox hunt and barbecue which was held Wednesday night on a reserve near Kerens.

The hunt was in charge of Fred Copeland, Arthur Wilson, Morris Crawford and Eddie Smith. Nine-teen fox hounds took part in the chase that lasted several hours.

Hot barbecue with all the accessories was served prior to the chase.

The hunt was held on the Smith reserve about 7 miles Southeast of Kerens where the Navarro County Fox Hunters Association conducted its annual convention last year.

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SAFETY PLAQUE WAS AWARDED CORSICANA BY SAFETY BODY

Mayor John C. Calhoun and Police Commissioner Fred Prince returned Wednesday from Houston where they received a silver plaque from the Texas Safety Association as representatives of the city.

The trophy was awarded Corsicana as one of four cities in the state between 10,000 and 25,000 population which completed 1940 without a single traffic fatality. Others receiving similar awards were University Park, Bryan and Sweetwater.

Anxious Sell County Election Supplies

E. Y. Cunningham, county auditor, and E. D. McCormick, county judge revealed Thursday morning they had received numerous calls and letters from stationery houses and printing concerns Wednesday and Thursday seeking to sell Navarro county the election supplies to be required in the special senatorial elections this summer. The election will be

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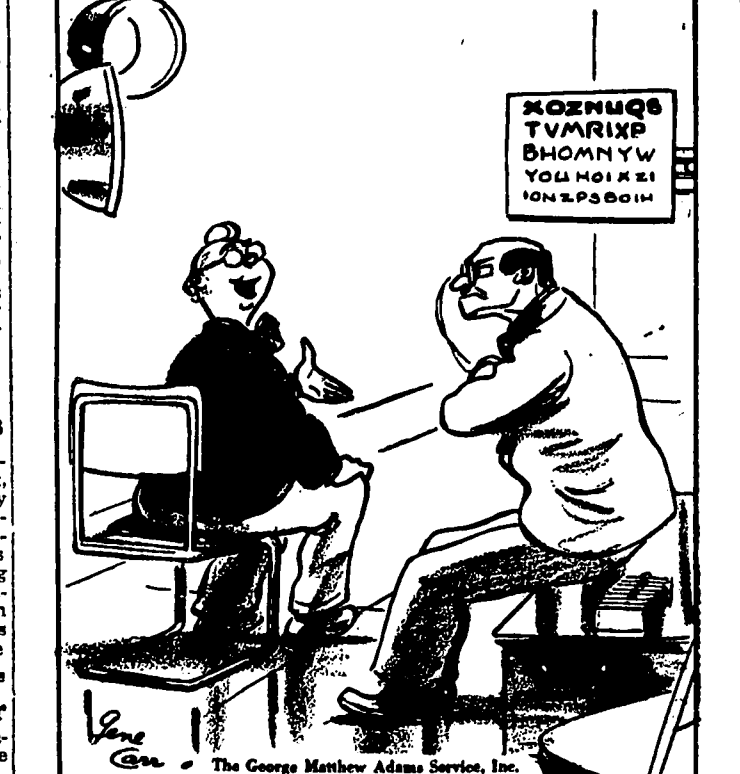
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to select a Texan to succeed the late Senator Morris Sheppard who died early Wednesday morning. County Auditor Cunningham received a telephone call before noon and night and several letters in Thursday morning's mail.

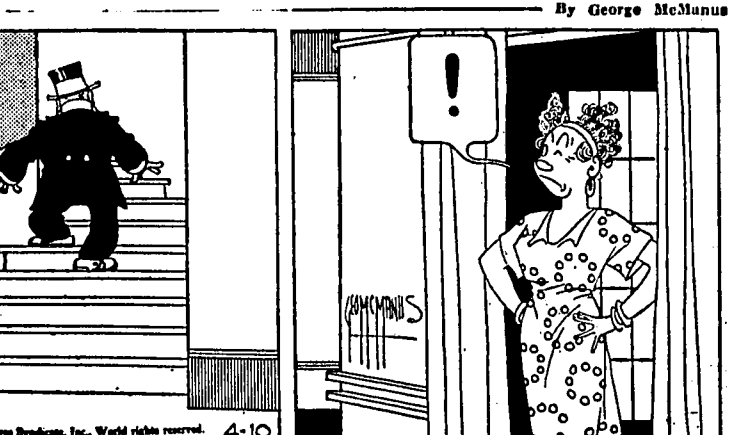
THIS AND THAT

By Gene Carr



"These glasses are swell. The spots before my eyes look much larger now."

By George McManus



By George McManus

RUSK COUNTY 4-H CLUB GIRL WINNER OF HIGHEST HONOR

COLLEGE STATION, April 10.—(P)—Miss Hera Jeanne Harper of the Minden 4-H Club in Rusk county was announced today as winner of the Texas Home Demonstration Association's College scholarship for 1941. It is the top honor for Texas 4-H Club girls.

Onah Jacks, State Girls' Club agent for the extension service of A. and M. College, announced the award.

Other 4-H Club girls receiving scholarships include Lois London of the 4-H Club in Fannin county and Theo Lorenz of the Speegleville 4-H Club in McLennan county. Both will receive slightly smaller scholarships from

the State Fair of Texas. A summer trip to the American Youth Foundation camp, each year to Texas 4-H Club girls, was offered to Mildred Maude of the Klein 4-H Club, Harris county, but since she could not accept the offer extension service is extending it to George Gail of the Bluebonnet 4-H Club in McLennan county.

Other girls who did commendable work and received district honors are Leota Jackson of the Eastland 4-H Club, Brown county; Myrl Emanuel of the Homaynor Club, Liberty county; Mozelle Blanch of the Hampshire Club, Jefferson county; and Marie Paul of the Lindale Club, Smith county.

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Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1. Kind of grape

7. Fruit of fissures

13. Harle

14. Rubber

15. Indecidable

16. Follower

17. Exist

18. Symbol for sodium

19. Poruses again

20. Note of the

21. Metal

22. Enduev

23. Ireland

24. Uncle of King

25. Young demon

26. American author

27. Motorless airplane

28. Puffs up

DOWN

31. Ignited

32. Fruit of the oak

33. Swinging bar

34. A fence

35. Vigilant

36. Reimbursement

37. Any plant of the

38. Bone

39. One of the

40. Rich fur

41. Silkworm

42. Prayers

43. archaic

44. Serpent

THIMBLE THEATRE STARRING POPEYE

WHAT IS THE MEANING OF THIS? WHY AM I ON A PLANE AND WEARING THESE RAGS?

PROFESSOR! DON'T REMEMBER?

OF COURSE I REMEMBER! I'M DUSTBONES... CHAIR OF SCIENCE... DRYUPP UNIVERSITY! AND I'M DUE IN CLASS THIS VERY MINUTE!

GAWRSH... MAGNESIA!

THIS IS AN OUTRAGE! I HAVE BEEN ARRESTED FOR KIDNAPING!

BUT, PROFESSOR! THIS IS YOUR PLANE! HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN THE ISLAND... THE CAVE MEN...!

MY PLANE... ISLAND... CAVE MEN... FIDDLE FIDDLE! TAKE ME TO THE UNIVERSITY... AT ONCE!

Y-YES, SIR!

I WON'T TALK!!

ARE ARE

NO!!

PLEASE, IT IS NOT IMPORTANT

IT WAS NEPTUNE WHO CALLED YOU ON THE OULIA BOARD, THE FATE OF THE OCEAN IS AT STAKE

THANK YA, MISTER SEA GOON

YES, HE IS FIGHTING KING NEPTUNE IN A LAND UNDER THE SEA, YOU ARE THE ONLY HUMAN WHO CAN HELP NEPTUNE

I AM GLAD YA TOLD ME

WE'VE COME ALL TH' WAY HOME TO HAVE TEA WITH YOU, GRAN'MA!

WHAT!

LIKE YOU GIVE IT TO MR. BUDGE ALL TH' TIME-- MY LAND!

YOU'RE TOO YOUNG TO DRINK TEA-- GO ON OUT AN' PLAY--

AW, GRAN'MA--

WELL, I COULD EAT A COOKIE WITH YOU--

GIT!

WELL, SHE DOESN'T SEEM TO MISS OLE BUDGE VERY MUCH OR SHE'D BE GLAD TO HAVE US STAY FOR TEA.

By Edwina

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PURPOSE OF SOIL CONSERVATION PLAN RELATED TO LIONS

NAVARRO-HILL DISTRICT PROGRAM EXPLAINED BY COUNTY AGENT ROBINSON

Purpose of the Navarro-Hill County soil conservation program was outlined in an address by H. C. Robinson, county agent, before the Corsicana Lions Club Tuesday night at the Navarro Hotel. President J. F. (Speedy) Adams presided.

Derwood George and A. S. Vann had charge of the program and President Adams appointed Will Thompson and Gabe Goldberg as program committee for the next meeting. Program Chairman George introduced the speaker.

Robinson said the purpose of the district soil conservation program is to formulate a co-ordinated and unified plan among landowners and cooperative agencies devoted to utilization of eroded farming land and the conservation of this soil for generations to come. He said the plan is not expected to be completed overnight but that it would take years to properly achieve the desired effect.

Tracing the different types of soil to be found in the Navarro-Hill district on a specially prepared map, the county agent pointed out that the district covers an area of 987,000 acres, one-third of which is blackland and the remainder consisting of mixed soil with varying degrees of sand and bottomlands.

Much Land Eroded.

Robinson pointed out that a recent investigation of the district revealed that approximately 15,000 acres are unfit for cultivation because of erosion and 800,000 acres have been subjected to varying degrees of erosion. Greater losses will be sustained in the future unless proper steps are taken to check the erosion problem, he said.

The district, he continued, will probably receive more assistance than previously expected because the major portion lies within the Trinity River watershed. Robinson asserted that Army engineers who have surveyed the Trinity River for possible navigation have stated that soil washing into the river each year would render useless any work toward making the waterway navigable.

Several reports were made and a number of communications were read.

Kerens Presbyterian Women Met Tuesday Charles Reese Home

KERENS, April 9.—(Spl.)—Mrs. Charles Reese was hostess to the Women's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church on Tuesday afternoon with seven members present. During a short business session it was voted to undertake the annual Easter seal campaign, proceeds of which go to the Crippled Children's Society of Navarro county.

Mrs. Albert Berry was appointed to represent the auxiliary at the Presbytery to be held in Waxahachie soon.

Program numbers as follows were well given:

Devotional—How Great Art Thou, Scripture reading Matt. 20:28—Mrs. H. A. Quille.

American Indians.

Inspirational Story: "Chosen"—Mrs. Elmin McCluney.

Closing Song: "Throw Out the Life Line."

Benediction—Mrs. Reese.

Strawberry pie and coffee were served during a social hour, which culminated the pleasant afternoon.

Teachers Training Course Is Success

KERENS, April 8.—(Spl.)—The teachers' training course, which was held at the First Baptist church each evening last week and which closed Friday, was a great success.

Taught by three local Sunday school teachers, Mrs. Wade Price, Mrs. A. R. Carroll and Mrs. Elmin Howell, 41 men and women were enrolled with 35 taking the examinations.

Books studied during the course were "Tone Function of the Sunday School," "Building a Standard Sunday School," and "How to Win to Christ."

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Member of Senior Class Dies Result Pneumonia Attack

Rosalind Hawthorne, aged 17 years senior in Corsicana High School, died at the Navarro Clinic Thursday morning at 3 o'clock following a several days illness with pneumonia.

Funeral services are scheduled Friday morning at 10:30 o'clock at Mart, Texas, the former home of the family.

Surviving are the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hawthorne, 1704 West Seventh Avenue; a sister, Reba Hawthorne, Corsicana; grandparents who reside at Mart; and other relatives.

Mr. Hawthorne has been connected with the Corsicana Tractor Company here since last year.

TREMENDOUS THROG EXPECTED DOGWOOD TRAIL NEXT SUNDAY

PALESTINE, April 9.—(Spl.)—After entertaining a throng of people Sunday, estimated at from 25,000 to 30,000, Palestine dug in this week to send a still greater number next Sunday over Texas Dogwood Trails.

In the meantime, hundreds daily were taking routed drives through hundreds of acres of dogwood-grown timberlands, riding paved highways out of Palestine to view the springtime grandeur of East Texas, picnicking along Dogwood Trails routes, and enjoying rustic lodges and pioneer homes.

Road crews worked along the routes, repairing damage done by cars over the week end, busiest of the season. Complete repairs were made Monday and Tuesday.

Growing in four years from an infant wild flower tour to the biggest wild flower show in the state from the standpoint of attendance, Texas Dogwood Trails requires the work of hundreds of Palestine people to stage it each year. Dozens of hostesses at the Chamber of Commerce building, where visitors are received at Meadowbrook Country Club, and the private home reception centers, do 12-hour duty. Business men don overalls and carry spades to fill holes as they develop along the woodland trails.

Extra sheriff's deputies ride the roads to prevent occasional picking of dogwood.

Time of the hundreds of workers is donated and everything in connection with the Trails is free.

Wortham Delegates Waco Presbyterial Have Been Named

WORTHAM, April 10.—(Spl.)—Delegates to the Waco Presbyterial which convenes in Waxahachie the 21st and 22nd of this month were elected at the regular meeting this week and are Mrs. Frank Reed and Mrs. W. B. Weaver. Alternates are Mrs. John Mackey and Mrs. Dick Wimberley.

The Wortham auxiliary have three presbyterial officers, namely: Mrs. H. C. Meador, president, who will preside over the organization meeting; Mrs. Van Hook Stubbs, recording secretary; Mrs. Marshall Pinkerton, secretary of missionary education and literature.

Children Observe 64th Birthday Of Father on Sunday

We met in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thurel DeMoss at Round Prairie Sunday, as it was our father's 64th birthday. There were 22 present, including children and grandchildren. We had a lovely dinner, consisting of chicken and dressing, and all of the extras; cakes and pies.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Thurel DeMoss and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. DeMoss and children, G. L. DeMoss and daughter, Miss Edith DeMoss; Mrs. Pearl Ellison and two daughters, Dorothy and Anna Pearl; Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Ellison and family.

Two of the children were not present, they being Lawrence DeMoss and family of Eureka and Mrs. Leroy Holland of Petty's Chapel.—Contributed.

Spud In New Test.

The L. T. Davis Fee No. 1 test, located south of Enzette, in northeast Navarro County, was spudded in Tuesday afternoon. It was announced here Wednesday afternoon.

PEVEHOUSE SAYS NO FINAL ACTION ON AID TO NEEDY

AUSTIN, April 9.—(Spl.)—Nothing final has been accomplished as far as fulfilling our social security obligations to the people of Texas in the Texas legislature, Doyle Pevehouse, florist representative from Hill and Navarro counties, has stated. He referred to the omnibus tax bill passed by the house and sent to the senate which he estimated would raise approximately 30 million dollars for social security.

House Bill 322, known as the Governor's Bill, would appropriate \$28,820,000 to pay old age assistance, aid helpless children, indigent blind, and match the teachers retirement fund. This bill has not passed.

Pevehouse said he had wholeheartedly supported the omnibus tax bill and also the Governor's Bill because he believed these obligations should be fulfilled. The Governor's Bill makes preferred creditors of the old folks, helpless children and the indigent blind. Pevehouse continued, and places the government officials and employees on the deferred list to be paid with warrants out of a general fund deficit.

BLOOMING GROVE WPA SCHOOL PROJECT BEEN AUTHORIZED

Expenditures of approximately \$15,000 for additions to the classrooms, grounds and athletic facilities of the Blooming Grove school has been authorized in a WPA project, according to information from the WPA offices in San Antonio. The work order has been given on the project.

The project is to improve school facilities and includes construction of a home economics building, walks, playing fields, tennis courts and football field; leveling, cutting, filling, grading, sodding and landscaping grounds; fencing, and laying sewer lines. WPA funds will be \$11,285, while funds supplied by the school district are listed at \$3,762. There will be 54 workers on the project.

FUNERAL SERVICES MRS. O. H. GARRETT WEDNESDAY MORNING

Funeral services for Mrs. O. H. Garrett who died in Fort Worth Monday night were held in Fort Worth Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock. Brief services were held at Oakwood cemetery here Wednesday at noon by Monsignor V. Graefo of the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

Surviving is a daughter, Julia Garrett.

Sutherland-McCammon Funeral Home directed the local arrangements.

Attends Meeting Held at Temple

Mrs. H. G. Brown, local representative of the Texas Society for Crippled Children, and member of the board, has returned from Temple, where she attended the spring semi-annual meeting of the Texas Surgical Society. Pictures of several Navarro county children recently treated, were shown and the results discussed at the meeting.

Sick and Convalescent A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gorman Wednesday morning at the Waters Clinic. Both mother and daughter were reported resting well.

Mrs. L. B. Smith has been dismissed from the P. and S. Hospital.

Dr. Leslie Kelton was reported improving at the P. and S. Hospital Wednesday.

Mrs. J. B. French is a medical patient at the P. and S. Hospital.

Mrs. Virgil Starks is a patient at the P. and S. Hospital.

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Proposed Court Changes Opposed Bar Association

Resolutions opposing a proposed redistricting of Texas whereby the local district court would operate in the Texas county of the Ellis county district judge would hold court in Corsicana were passed at a meeting of the Navarro County Bar Association Friday J. C. Jacobs, secretary, announced Tuesday.

The bar association also voted to present a bill for introduction in the legislature transferring civil jurisdiction of the Navarro county court to the district court, leaving probate matters and criminal jurisdiction in the county court, it was stated.

Under the proposed redistrict bill as presented before the Legislature by Senator Van Zandt, it was stated, the present district court of Hill county would be abolished. The judge of the Thirteenth district (Wayne R. Howell) would sit in Navarro and Hill counties. The district court of Ellis county, Jacobs said, would hold court in Ellis and in Navarro counties. Copies of the opposing resolution were sent to State Senator Clay Cotten and Representative Doyle Pevehouse, and Jim Taylor. Jacobs Tuesday received a letter from Pevehouse to the effect that he would oppose the Van Zandt proposal if it came before the House.

The proposed bill transferring civil jurisdiction from the county to the district court is being written by a committee headed by Lawrence Treadwell, secretary Jacobs said, and will be presented before the local bar association at its next session.

CORSICANA HIGH FFA TEAMS WIN CONTESTS AT ARLINGTON MEET

Teams from the Corsicana High School chapter of the Future Farmers of America, coached by R. L. Barron, won two contests and several trophies at the area FFA meet at Arlington last Saturday according to information received here.

Members of the team, Neel Gay, James Ray Tallant and Maynard Phillips successfully identified all of the plants in the contest and took two trophies for their feat while Prine was high point man and took a special award.

In the poultry contest, a team composed of Fred Conant, David and Thomas Hand, with Howard Coley as alternate, carried away top honors and won two trophies and banners.

Sun Want Ads Bring Results.

IDEAL

Midnite Saturday
Sunday-Monday

Gary Cooper
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Madeleine Carroll
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Bing Crosby
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SPECIAL
"GREECE FIGHTS BACK"
CARTOON;
"DR. FORTY"

State Director Of FSA Will Carry On As Dallas Manager

DALLAS, April 10.—(P)—V. R. Smitham, 48-year-old state director of the farm security administration and former city manager of Lufkin, Wichita Falls and Big Spring, has been named chief administrative officer of the city of Dallas to succeed City Manager James W. Aston, who will leave next Tuesday for a year's military service.

The city council yesterday approved Smitham's appointment as assistant city manager at a salary of \$7,000 a year, effective May 1. He will serve as acting city manager while the 39-year-old Aston, who was given a year's leave of absence, is in the army.

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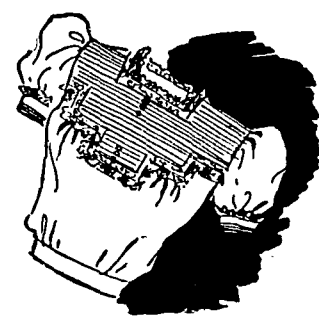
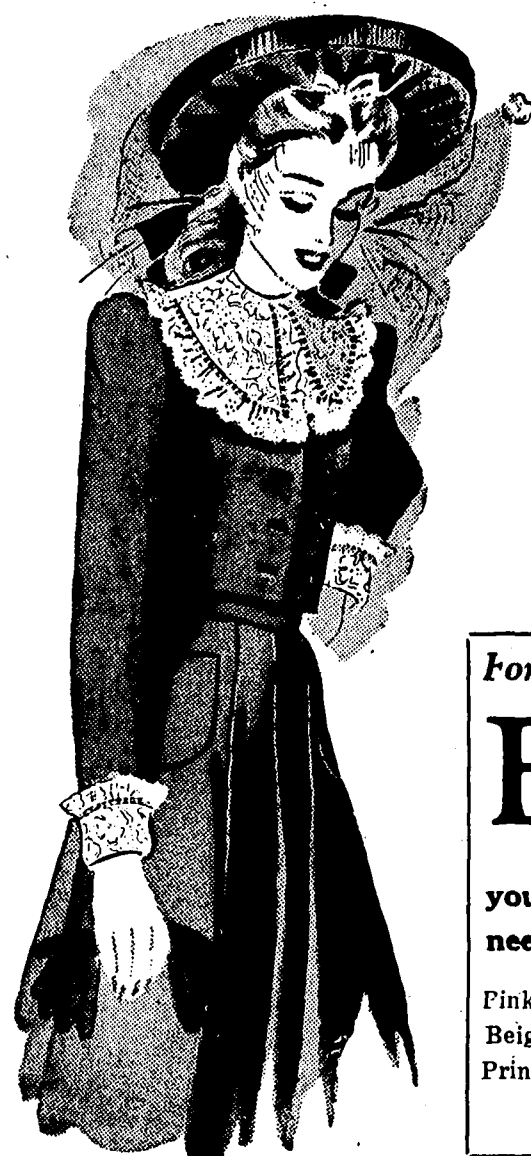
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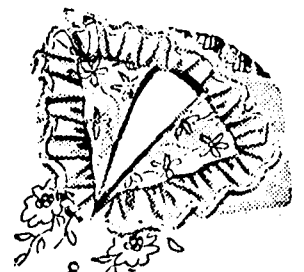


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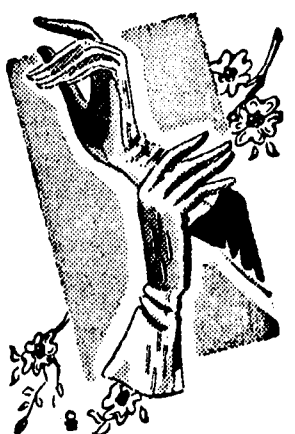


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